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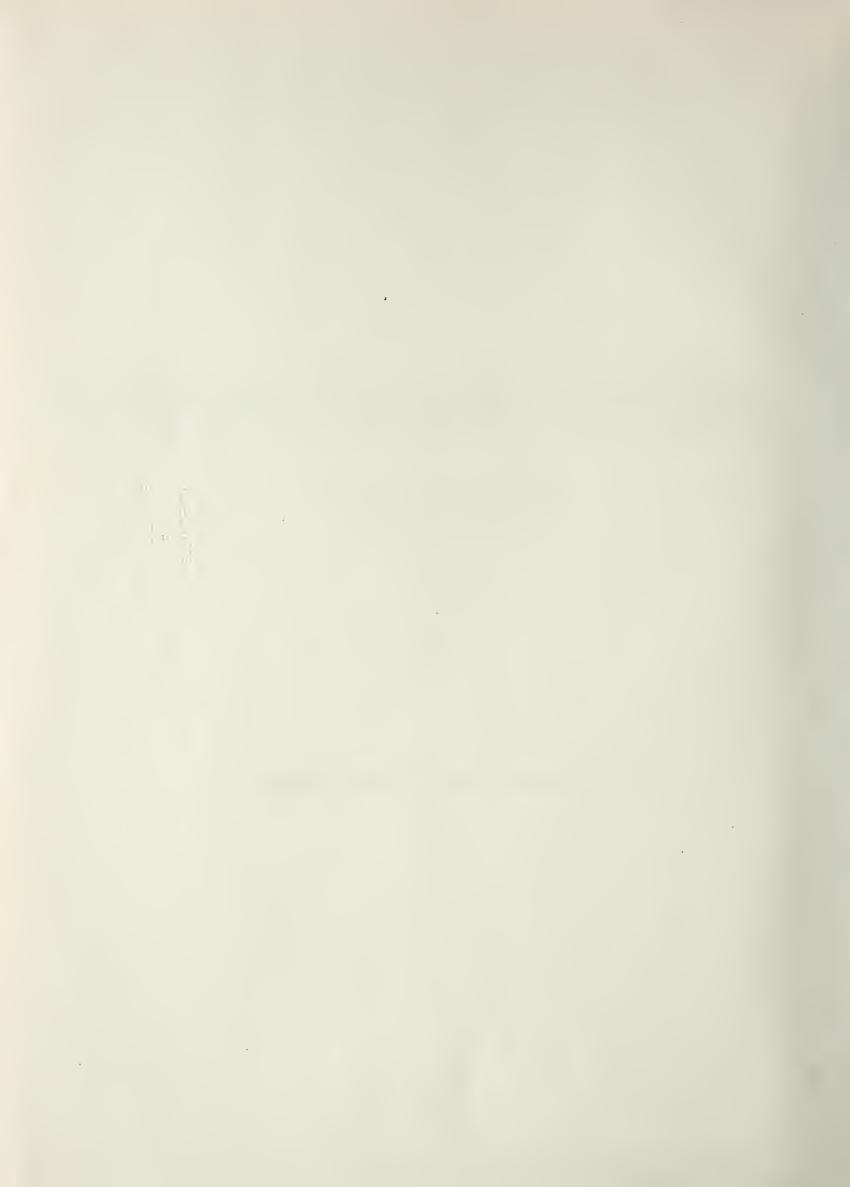




HODGE-BERRY-FAIRFAX FAMILIES

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My Children

Helen Fairfax McNaught Geary
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and

My Grandchildren

Nancy McNaught Porter

Joseph Taylor McNaught

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This book is affectionately dedicated.



FOREWORD

None but the Omniscient can read the past. It were therefore unreasonable not to expect mistakes -- less than impossible not to make them.

Second only to the assurance of truth in genealogical deductions is the discovery and correction of errors....not one of us but has had to part reluctantly with some old family tradition in the light of investigation, and the older the family the firmer the tradition. All that is possible at this late day is to collect and prove what may remain to us, welcoming correction of errors.

So I submit this little book of unfinished family records, notes, and comments of my Mother, without the intention or attempt to follow out all branches or trace all living descendants, but feeling that her untiring patience and keen interest in genealogical research is of such value that it should be preserved for the present generation as well as those who follow on.

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HODGE - BERRY - FAIRFAX

The material for the following sketches has been gathered through a period of more than twenty - five years ... from descendants in the various families and from many other sources.

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HODGE

The name Hodge is said to have had its origin in the name Roger. What Roger sprang from is not traced, but it is said to be of Norman - French origin.

According to the Patronymica Britannica, a Roman knight named Roger.. a valiant follower of William The Conquerer.. settled in Scotland after the Conquest, 1066, and from him came the name through various changes -- Roger, Rodger, Odger, Hodger, or Hodge.

In this country the name "Hodge" is general.



HODGE

COAT-OF-ARMS

SCOTCH COAT-OF-ARMS

Arms: Azure a chevron argent between three amulets Or.

Crest: A garb entwined with two serpents ppr.

Motto: Savoir Pouvoir. (Knowledge is Power)





The earliest records of the Hodge Family to which we belong were obtained from descendants of:

John Hodge (1732 - 1811) Francis Hodge (1766 - 1836) Rev. Samuel Hodge (1829 - 1891)

According to Miss Gertrude Baldridge, of Missouri Valley, Texas, (great granddaughter of John), her ancestors were of Scotch-Irish descent. They first settled in Pennsylvania, going afterwards to North Carolina (John's Will, made in 1792, is registered in Hillsboro, Crange County, N.C.); thence to Tennessee, and Kentucky.

Rev. John Allen, of Huntsville, Alabama, whose mother was a descendant of John Hodge, wrote: "The Hodges were of English parentage, but, in coming to America, were ship-wrecked and landed on the northern coast of Ireland, at a place called Killale, where they remained for a number of years before coming to America".

It was said by J. N. Baker, of Decatur, Illinois, a descendant of John Hodge, that his mother, Tabitha J. Hodge, and her brother, Joseph Jasper Hodge, were intimately acquainted with Wm. Herron Hodge, and called each other "cousin"; that they knew his exact relationship to the John Hodge family, but Mr. Baker had no record and could not recall what it was.

This Wm. Herron Hodge was the son of Francis, before mentioned, (record given later), and said his "Father was of English stock and his ancestors came from England, settled in Pennsylvania about 1700 and moved from there to North Carolina".

Wm. F. Hodge (son of Jonathan), second cousin of Wm. Herron Hodge, said that Rev. Samuel Hodge was a distant cousin of his, but the record of this relationship was not preserved.

This Rev. Samuel Hodge was president of Lenox Collegiate Institute of Hopkinton, Iowa, from 1865 to 1882. From a letter he wrote about 1880, we take the following concerning his ancestor: "Francis Hodge I. was Scotch, and was ship-wrecked while on the way to America and settled for a time in County Antrim in North of Ireland, emigrated from there to Pennsylvania sometime between 1762 and 1772, and to North Carolina, now Sullivan County, Tennessee, in 1779".

The same traditions exist among the descendants of John, Francis (ancestor of Rev. Samuel Hodge), and Francis (father of Wm. Herron)... stories of emigration from parts of Great Britain, ship-wreck on the Coast of Ireland, later coming to Pennsylvania and thence to North Carolina.

That all were related cannot be doubted, and a careful search of North Carolina records should reveal much concerning these ancestors of the Hodge family and their relationship to each other.



It is probable that John (1732-1811) (ancestor of Miss Baldridge), and Francis I., whoncame to Pennsylvania about 1762 (ancestor of Dr. Samuel Hodge), had two brothers: one, who was the father of three -- William, James, and Francis (father of W. Herron Hodge) -- and he may have been George....it is known that these three, William, James, and Francis, were brothers, and thought (by J.E.McN.) to be sons of a brother of John and Francis I.; and one other, indicated by the fact that George (grandson of Wm. Herron Hodge) remembered hearing his grandfather speak of an 'Uncle Charles'; and Mrs. Sally Wells (Hodge) Baldridge remembered that when she left North Carolina at the age of 14, her 'Great Uncle George' lived near her grandfather, John.

The records of Hillsboro, N.C., show that John and George were the first of the Hodges in that County, and that John (or John Deboe, as he was called by some of his descendants) bought 260 acres of land in 1760, and, at the same time, George Hodge, supposed to be his brother, bought 600 acres.

But whatever the relationship may have been between John-Francis and the Francis who was the grandfather of Wm. Herron...and there surely was a relationship...it is known, as stated above, that William, Francis, and James Hodge were brothers. Wm. Herron (son of Francis) and Jonathan (son of William) lived near each other in Illinois and knew their relationship to each other.

An old letter states: "James went north (Kentucky?) but Francis remained in North Carolina until after the death of William", which date was between 1810 and 1818. Francis died in Illinois in 1836. The descendants of James Hodge have not been traced, but no doubt many can be found in Kentucky.

Francis Hodge (brother of James and William), born about 1766 in Somerset, Penn., died in 1836 at Holder, Ill., and is buried in the Frankeberger Cemetery. His tembstone should show date of his birth, which was probably before 1760, as one descendant, George A. Hodge, says "he emigrated with a colony to North Carolina about 1770".

Of him, his son, Wm. Herron Hodge, says, in 'Good Old Times In McLean County', (published 1874):-- "Francis Hodge came from English stock which settled in Pennsylvania about 1700, and moved from there to North Carolina. From here Francis Hodge came to Shelbyville, Bedford County, Tenn. in 1812".

He married Nancy Walker, of Scotch-Irish descent (b. Penn., d. 1841). Nancy Walker had brothers John and Abram. Francis and Nancy had eight children, as follows, though not given in order of birth:

- A. John Hodge. A soldier under General Jackson at New Orleans. No further record of him.
- B. Elizabeth Hodge. Md. John Martin.
- C. Cynthia Hodge. Md. Glenn, of Tennessee.
- D.* Wm. Herron Hodge. (Record later).
- E. James Hodge; (b. 1800; d. 1832, Bloomington, Ill.) Md. Minerva Lee.
- F. Nancy Hodge (called Anna). Md. John Worley, of Tayloville, Ill.
- G. Mary Hodge. Md. Joseph Baker, of Leroy, Ill.
- H. Phoebe Hodge.
- (*) William Herron Hodge -- b. Jan. 4, 1791, Windworth, Rockingham Cc.N.C.
 d. April 29, 1875, Bloomington, Ill.
 (See "Good Old Times in McLean County" by Dr. E. Duis, for sketch concerning him.)



whi	1820 Wm. Herron Eodge came to Illinois, settling first in Sangamon County 3 Ich he helped to organize in 1821. In 1824 he moved to Bloomington Grove; sisted in the organization of McLean County, Illinois, in 1831.
In d.	1814 Wm. Herron Hodge married Rachel Wall, b. Warren County, Kentucky, 1799, 1844, (dau. of George W. and Margaret (McFadden) Wall.
In	1848 he married Nancy Baker, b. April 23, 1805; d. Sept. 5, 1874.
īm.	. Herron Hodge had nine children by his first wife: - as follows:
	I. Andrew M. Hodge. D. unmd. II. Margaret Hodge. B, d. 1879.
	Md. (first) James Robertson; b. d. 1847. Children;
	(a) John Hodge Robertson. Md. and had two children:
	Eudora Robertson.
	Oliver Robertson. (b) Lee A. Robertson.
	Margaret (Hodge) Robertson. Md. (second) J. N. Savidge; d. 1890. (child) Almeda Savidge.
	III. Elias Hodge. D.y. IV. Nancy Walker Hodge. B. Nov. 26, 1821, Sangamon County, Ill.;
	d. Nov. 17, 1907, Salem, Oregon. Daughter of Wm. Herron and Rachel (Wall) Hodge.
	Md. 1839, Bloomington, Ill., to Hugh Carrel Harris (son of Isaac Harris); b. Dec. 21, 1818,
	Marietta, Ohio; d. April 6, 1884, Salem, Oregon.
	They moved from Illinois to Oregon about 1854.
	Ten children, as follows: (a) Wm. Herron Harris; b. 1840, Bloomington, Ill.; d. 1901,
	Colfax, Washington. Md. 1887, Clara Burch Hensler, in Colfax, Wn.
	(1) Elnora Harris: b. 1888. Colfax. Washington.
	md. Jenny, at Pullman, Wn. (2) Oral Fay Harris; b. 1893, Colfax, Washington.
	md. 1924 Phoebe Hull. (b) Miriam Harris; b. Aug. 10, 1844, Eloomington, Ill. Living in
	Salem, Oregon, 1932.
	md. Oct. 17, 1864, Eola, Ore., John C. Allen, b. Oct. 7, 1825, Clay County, Missouri,
	son of Isaac and Margaret (Miller) Allen.
	8 children: (1) Lena Allen; b. Anril 19, 1866, Polk County, Oregon;
	md Charles Edwin Boone,
	b. Oct. 14, 1862, son of Wm. Wirt and Mary (McReynolds) Boone.
	(2) Thomas Roy Allen: b. March 29, 1870, Eola, Oregon;
	md. Lulu Barstow, daughter of Marcus and Margaret (Day) Barstow.
	(3) Katherine Allen: b. Dec. 23, 1872, Eola, Oregon;
	md. Oliver Clarence Waite, son of George and Rebecca (Bowen) Waite.
	(4) Elsie Allen; b. Feb. 15, 1875, Eola, Oregon;
	md, Ralph Folsom, b. 1872, Pendleton, Oregon; son of Moses and
	Elizabeth Folsom.
	(5) Charles Morton Allen; b. Feb. 3, 1877, Salem, Oregon. (Unm. 1932)
	Abbreviations: b. "born"; d. "died"; md. "married"; d.y. "died young"



(6) Hugh Preston Allen; b. June 21, 1879, Salem, Oregon; md. Edith Lang, b. 1885, Whitehall, Ill., dau. of Augustus and Emma (Seely) Lang.

Euna Belle Allen; b. April 23, 1886, Eola, Oregon; (7)md. 1908, Frederick Charles Hyde.

(8) J. Chester Allen; b. June 10, 1888, Eola Uregon; md. Mable Knouse, of Midvale, Idaho.

(c) Charles Morton Harris; b. April 19, 1849, Bloomington, Ill., d. Dec. 27, 1876, Salem, Oregon.

(d) Elizabeth Harris; b. October 27, 1852, Bloomington, Ill md. May 30, 1882, Oak Grove, Oregon, to Abraham Heise, b. Dec. 31, 1842, Toronto, Canada, son of John and Anna (Shank) Heise. Living in September, 1932.

(1) Nancy Etta Heise; b. May 6, 1883, Oak Grove, Ore.; md. Oct. 17, 1906, at West Salem, Ore., to Albert Allen Seiwert, b. Feb. 8, 1879, at Salem, Ore., son of Paniel August and Caroline (Otto) Seiwert. Lives at 388 N. Winter St., Salem, Oregon.

(1-a) Alan Albert Seiwert; b. Jan 21, 1920, Salem, Ore. (2-a) Eleanor Beth Seiwert; b. Mar. 6, 1921, Salem, Ore.

(2) Winfield Clayton Heise; b. April 20, 1884, Rickreall, Ore. md. Pearl Brannan.

(1-a) Wesley Clay Heise; b. Jan. 19, 1911, Salem, Ore (2-a) Lynn Brannan Heise; b. May 21, 1914, Salem, Ore. (3-a) Edith Pearl Heise; b. June 23, 1924, Salem, Ore.

(3)Lena May Heise; b. July 24, 1885, Rickreall, Oregon. md. Sept. 20, 1908, Roy Reno Hewitt, at Salem, Ore., b. Aug. 7, 1883, son of James Andrew and Mary Jane (Rose) Hewitt.

1 ch: Ronald Hewitt.

(4)Victor Russ Heise; b. March 31, 1894.

(e) Marietta Harris; b. March 31, 1855, Salem, Ore.

_Chitwood. d. Aug. 1, 1908, Mississippi.

(1)Maude Belle Chitwood; b. Sept. 21, 1881, Eola, Oregon. md._

(f) Hugh Scott Harris; b. July 27, 1857, Eola, Oregon

d. Feb. 10, 1911, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

(g) Eunice Belle Harris; b. April 21, 1859, Eola, Oregon md. Apr. 22, 1882, Winfrey Newton Putnam, b. Aug. 1859 Eola, Ore., son of Newton & Nancy (Morgan) Putnam.

(h) Emerson Lincoln Harris; b. Feb. 2, 1861, Eola, Oregon. d. Oct. 27, 1928, Salem, Oregon. md. Oct. 31, 1911, Portland, Ore., to Mary Argyle Jones, Tau. of Samuel and Julia Belle Jones.

(1)Emerson Lyndon Harris; b. 1913, Salem, Ore.

(2)Greta Harris; b. 1915, Salem, Ore.

(i) Olive Harris; b. Nov. 12, 1863, Eola, Oregon. md. (first) Nov. 16, 1881, to Edward Settlemier who died Aug. 8, 1894, at Pendleton, Oregon.

(1)Claude Carlyle Settlemier; b. Aug. 18, 1883, Pendleton, Cre. Olive (Harris) Settlemier; md. (second) Jan. 1, 1897, Vancouver, Wn., to Wm. Francis Kelly.

(1)Frederic Alfred Kelly; b. July 16, 1898, Butte, Mont.

(j) Andrew James Harris; b. Aug. 3, 1866, Eola, Ore.; d.1910, Salem, Ore md. 1892, at Corvallis, Ore., to Margaret Ray.

(1)Jessie Harris; b. Sept. 21, 1894, Hola, Ore. nd. 1920 at Coshocton, Ohio. Chester Greer.



Emma (Pagels) Fuller.

(1-a) Delmar Hodge Fuller; b. July 16, 1931, Bloomington, Ill-



(d) Jennie Maude Hodge;

md. Clarence Andrews.

- (1) Dorothy E. Andrews; b. 1903; md. Roland H. Gyee. Lives 123 Jarren Ave., Roselle Park, N.J.
- (e) Rachel Pearl Hodge; b. Oct. 23, 1880; d. Oct. 19, 1918; md. Clyde C. Davis.
 - (1) Nancy Davis; b. April (?) 23, 1909.
 - (2) Clyde Davis, Jr.; b. Oct. 29, 1910.

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VIII. James Price Hodge; b. Jan. 29, 1834, Bloomington, Ill.
d. Feb. 7, 1920, Bloomington, Ill.
md. Nov. 27, 1855, Ellen S. Rouse, b. Apr. 20, 1839,
New London, Ohio; d. March 18, 1922, Bloomington,

No ch.

They adopted:

- (a) Dora I. Congleton, b. Aug. 2, 1869, (dau. of Theodore and Margaret Congleton); md. Dec. 19, 1889, at Bloomington, Ill., G. Burt Read, b. Sept. 26, 1867, Bloomington, Ill., son of Lucius C. and Amelia (Bolcom) Read.
 - (1) James G. Read; b. Sept. 2, 1890, Chicago, Ill.

d. Apr. 15, 1912, Bloomington, Ill.

- (2) Lucius C. Read; b. Salem, Ore., Aug. 30, 1891; d. Aug. 6, 1892, Bloomington, Ill.
- (3) Roland Read; b. May 26, 1895, Bloomington, Ill.

 md. Emme Virginia Eichner, June 9, 1920,
 Sanford, Florida.

 Lives at Sanford, Florida.
- l ch: Virginia Joy Read; b. Sept. 4, 1925, Bloomington, Ill. IX. Harriet Hodge; b. Nov. 17, 1840, Bloomington, Ill.
 - d. July 4, 1928, Chicago, Ill., burried Bloomington, Ill.

md. 1857, Orris Perry Woodworth (son of Louis Woodworth), b. Sept. 10, 1835, Unionville, Ohio; d. Nov. 27, 1910, Bloomington, Ill.

- (a) Stella Woodworth; b. 1859; d.y.
- (b) William Woodworth; b. 1861; d. 1867.
- (c) Albert Orris Woodworth; b. Oct. 25, 1865, Bloomington, Ill.

 md. (1st) Jan. 31, 1894, at Chicago, Ill.,

 Ione Darley, dau. of John and Ella Nettie

 Darley; no children.

 md. (2nd) March 30, 1921,

 Stella Del Debbio, b. Dec. 7, 1884, Chicago, Ill.

 dau. of Angelo and Assunta Del Debbio. No ch.



WILLIAM HODGE (brother of James and Francis Hodge)

Date of birth not known.
Believed to have been born in Rockingham County, N. C.

His grandson -- Wm. Franklin (son of Jonathan) -- said, in writing of his grandfather: "James went north (Kentucky) but Francis stayed in the south until after the death of William, then went north (Illinois)", and he thought these two brothers lived near each other.

Just when William went to Kentucky from North Carolina cannot be definitely ascertained owing to destruction of Record Book "A" of Warren County, Ky. in 1908, but it is thought to have been in 1804 as that is the year that his son Jonathan is said to have gone to Kentucky.

Record Book "B" shows that in 1810 he sold land to Wm. Key. (Allen was part of Warren County at that time -- until 1815).

His death occurred between 1810 and 1818, and he left no Will, as, on the 9th day of February, 1819, his son Jonathan sold to David Walker, Jr., "his (Jonathan's) undivided 1/6 interest in all of his Father's land in Allen County". Allen County was taken from Warren County in 1815.

Rebecca Hodge (daughter of William) sold her 1/6 interest to D. W. Walker, Jr.

In 1825 there was a suit in Circuit Court of Allen County, Ky., to sell the land of Wm. Hodge, showing that some of the children were minors at the time of his death, and this sale was decreed to make final settlement of his estate.

His six children are named: Jonathan, Rebecca (Hodge) Scholl, James, Sarah (Hodge) Satterfield, Sheveral, and William.

The wife of Wm. Hodge was Alcyan Jones, according to the Satterfield descendants. Phoebe Wilson wrote in 1907: "I am the daughter of Alcyan Harris, my mother was the daughter of Sarah (Hodge) Satterfield, and grand-mother was the daughter of Alcyan Hodge who was a Jones before she married Hodge."

A brother of Mrs. Phoebe Wilson wrote that his grandmother, Sarah (Hodge) Satterfield, named her first son William, for her father; her first daughter, Alcyan, for her mother; and sons Sheveral and Jonathan, for her brothers.

William and wife Alcyan (Jones) Hodge were buried in the family burying place on their farm very near Scottsville, Ky. This property was occupied in 1908 by Mr. H. T. Dalton and had been for several years, but previous to that a Mr. Ham lived there for 25 or 30 years, and said that when he took the place he was told by the old people there that the graves were those of Mr. Nm. Hodge and wife. In April, 1907, Mr. W. H. Justice wrote that he had made careful examination of the burial place of Wm. and Alcyan (Jones) Hodge, and could find no trace of the graves, but was told by Mr. Bass Ham that while he "lived on the farm the burial place was kept sacred". Mr. Ham lived there until about 1902.



A. Jonathan Hodge; b. Oct. 9, 1790, in North Carolina, presumably near Wentworth, Rockingham County. In 1804 he went to Warren (or Barron?) County, Ky., with his parents. In the Fall of 1821 he moved to Illinois, settling on Fancy Creek, near Springfield, Sangamon County; influenced to settle there, no doubt, by the fact that his cousin — Wm. Herron Hodge — had come there the previous year. In 1827 he moved to Stouts Grove, WcLean County, Ill., where he died Oct. 8, 1853, "aged 62 years, 11 months and 29 days". His Will is recorded in McLean County, Illinois.

'Good Old Times of McLean County' says of him: "Mr. Hodge was a tall, well-built, muscular man. He had black hair and dark hazel eyes. A man who took pride in keeping his word; very kind, yet exacted strict obedience from his children. A quiet man, not much of a talker, though he enjoyed company. Was very fond of reading, especially that Book of Books...the Bible. He and his wife were members of the Christian Church".

In 1812 Jonathan Hodge married Nancy Berry, b. Jan. 30, 1793, Scottsville, Ky., d. Stouts Grove, Sept. 10, 1859; dau. of Benjamin and Sarah (Matthews) Berry. (# See Berry Record.) Both are buried in the Stouts Grove Cemetery, west of Danvers, Ill.

There were 7 children:

They lived on a farm near Princeton, Ill. At the outbreak of the Black Hawk War (1832), a friendly Indian warned them of the intended raid on the settlers there, and they quickly left, carrying the baby Thomas and such provisions and clothing as they could on the two horses brought from the field where Mr. Ament was plowing when news of the raid was brought to them. They were not pursued by the Indians, but homes were burned and settlers killed in that vicinity. They went to McLean County, to the home of Mrs. Ament's parents, where she remained until the trouble with the Indians was over. Mr. Ament, in the meantime, made a trip to his home in Bureau County, accompanied by his father-in-law, Jonathan Hodge, and a dozen friends. They found their home undisturbed, but one man in the party was shot by Indians the day following their arrival on the farm. (See 'Good Old Times in McLean County' by Dr. E. Duis).

John Lawson and Sarah Ann (Hodge) Ament had 12 children:
. . (See following pages)

Note: Mrs. Elizabeth (Ament) Briggs (Mrs. Chas. A.), living in Encinitas, Cal. wrote that there were 13 children in their family, of whom 5 were living in 1929, when she wrote to Mrs. Ida (Bobson) Lester, of Long Beach, Calif.

A letter from Evaline Amen', written Nov. 8, 1853, to her Aunt Nancy Hodge, mentions sister Calysta, brother William, Uncle James and Aunt Jane, Uncle Joe and Aunt Rebecca, Sarah and Caroline.

I remember, when very young, a visit at my father's house by Aunt Rebecca Blue.

V.E.H.McN.



(Descendants of John Lawson and Sarah Ann (Hodge) Ament, dau. of Jonathan Hodge)

- (a) Thomas Jefferson Ament; b. Aug. 4, 1831, Princeton, Ill.;
 d. Mar. 25, 1899.

 Married Carrie Chapler, of Ohio, Mar. 8, 1857; six children.
 - 1. Nettie Ament; b. Dec. 14, 1859, Princeton, Ill. md. Harmon H. Tremaine, Nov. 24, 1880.
 - 1-a) Ira H. Tremaine; b. Nov. 25, 1881.
 - 2-a) Hugh M. Tremaine; b. Aug. 28, 1883.
 - 3-a) Marguerite Tremaine; b. July 18, 1885.
 - 4-a) Ruth Tremaine; b. Dec. 23, 1889.
 - 2. Lucy Ament; b. Sept. 10, 1861;
 md. Orlando G. Tremaine, Aug. 10, 1880.
 Lived in Webster City, Iowa, in 1906.
 - 1-a) Harmon A. Tremaine; b. June 20, 1881.
 - 2-a) Ralph Tremaine; b. Sept. 28, 1883.
 - 3. Elizabeth Ament; b. Dec. 28, 1862;
 md. Charles A. Briggs, July 3, 1895.
 1-a) Donald A. Briggs; b. June 25, 1896.
 - 4. Minnie Ament; b. Apr. 3, 1866;
 md. Ver. H. Perry, July 10, 1886.
 1-a) Gayon G. Perry; b. Sept. 10, 1887.
 - 2-a) Vivian Perry; b. Oct. 8, 1890. 3-a) Helen Perry; b. July 6, 1893.
 - 5. John H. Ament; b. Mar. 4, 1877.
 - 6. Nat. H. Ament; b. Nov. 24, 1880.
- (b) Emaline Ament; b. Oct. 12, 1833, Princeton, Ill. d. Feb. 20, 1854.

 Married George Smith, Oct. 29, 1851; no children.
- (c) Francis Marion Ament; b. Sept. 11, 1837;
 d. Feb. 11, 1903;
 Married Emily Coleman, May 15, 1868; b. June 10, 1848,
 Princeton, Ill.
 - 1. Lee Ament. Living in Oklahoma (State) in 1928.
 - 2. Loren
 - 3. Howard
 - 4. Harrison
 - 5. Blanche)
 - 6. Dorcas) twins.
- (d) Mary Jane Ament; b. Sept. 28, 1839, Princeton, Ill.
 d. July, 1924, Springfield, Ill; buried
 Peoria, Ill.
 Md. Nov. 13, 1866, James Henry Danley, a soldier in the Civil
 War; son of Levi and Margaret (McClure) Danley; d. Jan. 1929.
 Topeka, Kans. No children.



- (e) Julia Ann Ament; b. Feb. 20, 1842, Princeton, Ill.
 d. 1916, Wenatchee, Washington.
 Md. Oscar Knox, Dec. 25, 1867, son of Wm. and Mary (Mercer)
 Knox; direct descendant of John Knox.
 - 1. Winifred C. Knox;
 (1933)..lives 903 W. Newell St., Seattle, Wash.
 Married Myron M. Grout, June 1, 1893, Seattle Washington.
 1-a) Genevieve Ament Grout; b. March 12, 1894.
 2-a) Dorothy Knox Grout; b. April 13, 1895.
- (f) Nancy Hodge Ament; b. Aug. 15, 1844, Princeton, Ill.
 d. Mar. 10, 1899, Peoria, Ill.
 Married Aaron Joseph Knox, Sept. 10, 1863; b. Mar. 30, 1840, at Primeton, Ill.; d. June, 1922, Birmingham, Alabama; son of Wm. and Mary (Mercer) Knox.
 - 1. Cora Knox; d.y.
 - 2. Sherman Bagley Knox; b. June 7, 1864, Princeton, Ill.
 d. Dec. 18, 1929, Birmingham, Ala.
 Married May 20, 1891, at Westerville, Ohio, to Lotta Baird,
 dau. of Hervey and Mark (Clark) Baird; b. June 7, 1870,
 Pataskala, Ohio.
 - 1-a) Elsie Knox; d.y.
 - 2-a) Mark Mercer Knox; d.y.
 - 3-a) Edith Knox; b. Oct. 21, 1898, Cincinnati, O. (Unm. 1929)
 - 4-a) Hervey Baird Knox; b. Nov. 22, 1900, Cincinnati, C. Married Feb. 1, 1923, at Besemer, Ala., to Ruby Farmer, b. Odenville, Ala. (No children 1929)
 - 3. Wm. Forrest Knox; b. Aug. 12, 1876, Princeton, Ill. (Unm. 1929
- (g) Eunice Lawson Ament; b. Mar. 5, 1846. d. Mar. 5, 1877. Unmarried.
- (h) John Hardin Ament; b. July 24, 1848, Princeton, Ill.
 d. Feb. 14, 1918, Iowa City, Iowa; buried
 Peoria, Ill.
 Md. Nov. 26, 1868, at Danvers, Ill. to Anna Eliza Crist, b. July
 1, 1846, Danvers, Ill.; d. Nov. 6, 1931, Detroit, Mich., buried
 in Springdale Cemetery, Peoria, Ill.; dau. of Hiram and
 Clarinda (Brown) (b. New York) Crist (of Chio).
 - 1. Maude Ament; b. Sept. 15, 1869, Princeton, Ill.
 md. Jan. 1, 1891, to Frank Augustus Sheldrick,
 b. Dec. 19, 1866, London, England; son of Henry Thomas and
 Emily (Ballard) Sheldrick.
 - Hardin Ament Sheldrick; b. May 10, 1897, Detroit, Mich Md. June 14, 1923, at Des Moines, Iowa, to Frances Garres, b. Oct. 13, 1894, Derby, Iowa; dau. of John Henry and Margaret Elizabeth (Spencer) Garris.
 x-1) John Hardin Sheldrick; b. Nov. 4, 1925, Detroit, Michigan.



- (i) Wm. Shelby Ament; b. April 3, 1850, Princeton, Ill.
 d. April 24, 1898.
 Md. Nov. 14, 1878, Council Bluffs, Iowa, to Elizabeth Ann
 Baldwin, b. Fairfield, Iowa.
 - 1. Caleb Baldwin Ament; b. Feb. 9, 1880, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

 nd. Oct. 8, 1901 Denver, Colo. to Ellen
 Stearns, b. Aug. 5, 1880.
 1-a) Donald Stearns Ament; b. July 7, 1905, Denver, Colo.
- (j) Dewitt Clinton Ament; b. Jan. 3, 1852, near Danvers, Ill.
 d. Jan. 1920, Peoria, Ill.
 Md. May 10, 1880, to Anna M. Sweet; no children.
- (k) Ellen Ament; b. June 16, 1854, Princeton, Ill.

 md. Am. Moore at Seattle, Wash.; one child -
 l. Horace Ament Moore; b. 1896; unm. 1929. Lives Detroit, Mich.
- (1) Mark Ament; b. Mar. 16, 1858; d. Oct. 28, 1893. Md. Mary E. Van Patten (d. 1890). No children.

This ends the record
of the children
of John Lawson and Sarah Ann (Hodge) Ament.

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II. Uriah Sheloy Hodge; b. Nov. 26, 1816, Warren County, Kentucky; ----- came to Sangamon County, Illinois, with his parents in 1824 or '5, thence to McLean County, Ill. in 1827.

In early life, a farmer, but later a merchant at Danvers, Ill., in which business he continued for thirty-five years, and commanded the respect and confidence of every one who knew him. He was a man of genial, kindly nature; his religious views were clear and decided, and he was a consistent and honored member of the Christian (or "Campbellite") church.

Owing to failing health, he sold his business in Danvers and moved with his family to Bloomington, Ill. in 1879, where he died on Oct. 2, 1881.

On July 4, 1851 Uriah Shelby Hodge married Mary Catherine Clark, b. Apr. 17, 1835, near Hopkinsville, Ky., dau. of Henry James and Mary Lewis (Mansfield) Clark; d. Feb. 9, 1914, at Bloomington, Ill. (See Clark and Mansfield Records).

There were 9 children:

- (a) Mary Louisa Hodge; b. Jan. 17, 1853, at Danvers, Ill.
 d. July 9, 1909, at Bloomington, Ill.
 Md. Oct. 3, 1877, to Antoine Edouard DeMange, lawyer of
 Bloomington, Ill., b. Aug. 31, 1852 at Cape Vincent, N.Y.,
 son of Alexander J. DeMange (b. Paris, France) and Sophia
 (Goler) DeMange (cf Quebec, Canada). 2 children:
 - 1. Ralph Charles DeMange; b. Apr. 7, 1882;
 md. Oct. 21, 1915, at Decatur, Ill.
 to Emma Bradley Ewing, b. May 5, 1885, daw. of Charles
 Adlai and Mary Giselle (Palmer) Ewing, of Decatur, Ill.
 He was a lawyer in Blocmington, Ill. 2 ch:
 1-a) Ewing DeMange; b. Feb. 5, 1923.
 2-a) Mary Louise DeMange; b. July 18, 1925.
 - 2. Paul Hodge DeMange; b. Jan. 29, 1885. Lives Los Angeles,
 Calif. (1928). Was 1st Lieut. 312th
 Ammunition Train, 87th Div. A.E.F., Norld's War.
 Md. July 11, 1915, to Mrs. Etta (Mansfield) Miller, of
 New Orleans, La., dau. of James Wilkerson and Bridget
 (Welch) Mansfield, and great-granddaughter of Robert
 Mansfield (Revolutionary War).
- (b) Virginia Eliza Hodge; b. Feb. 11, 1858, at Danvers, Ill.
 d. Aug. 15, 1934, Oakland, California.
 Married July 2, 1677 to Joseph Fletcher McNaught, b. Aug. 17,
 1854 at Lexington, Ill.; d. Oct. 13, 1927, at Hermiston, Ore.;
 son of George and Nancy (Franklin) McNaught. 2 ch:
 (See McNaught and Franklin Records).
 - 1. Helen Fairfax McNaught; b. Seattle, Washington.

 md. Wov. 21, 1906, at Hermiston,

 Oregon, to Edward Hamilton Geary, son of Major Jm. L. and

 Agnes (Johnson) Geary, U.S.A., and grandson of General

 John J. Geary, U.S.A., last Alcalde and first Mayor of

 San Francisco. No children.



Key: (c) (d) (e) etc -- children of (above)

1. 2. etc -- grandchildren.

- 2. Carl Shelby McNaught; b. Aug. 18, 1880, at Seattle, Wash.

 md. Jan. 1, 1907, in Palo Alto, Cal.,

 to Ruth Taylor, b. Feb. 26, 1882, at Steubenville, Ohio,
 dau. of Thomas Bell and Frances (Hawkens) Taylor. 3 ch:-l-a) Nancy McNaught; b. Dec. 14, 1907, Hermiston, Ore.

 md. Apr. 5, 1931, at Hermiston, Ore.,

 to Harold Ellsworth Porter, b. Dec. 17, 1903 at

 Waterville, Wash., son of Edward Benson and Margaret
 Rose (Staup) Porter.
 - 2-a) Joseph Taylor McNaught; b. Nov. 15, 1909, at Pendleton, Oregon.
 - 3-a) Alan Geary McNaught; b. Nov. 20, 1920, at Pendleton, Oregon.
- (c) Alice Lincoln Hodge; b. July 29, 1860.

 md. June 15, 1882 to William Edward
 Rossney, b. May 10, 1859; d. Sept. 5, 1925, at Bloomington,
 Ill., son of Edward and Katherine (Kewin) Rossney, of
 Rochester, M.Y. No children.
- (d) Amelia Gertrude Hodge; b. Oct. 29, 1862; d. May 14, 1864.
- (e) Minnie Mansfield Hodge; b. June 29, 1865.

 End. Oct. 1, 1885, at Bloomington, Ill.
 to Robert William Loudon, b. Mar. 23, 1861, Litchfield, Ill.,
 d. July 5, 1928, Minneapolis, Minn; buried at Bloomington, Ill.
 Son of Robert and Janet (Johnston) Loudon, of Ayr, Scotland.
 - 1. Robert S. Loudon; b. May 10, 1887; d. May 18, 1887.
 - 2. William Hodge Loudon; b. Oct. 2, 1890, at Bloomington, Ill.

 md. May 26, 1917, in Chicago, to
 George Jenckes Wilson, b. July 24, 1891, Memphis, Tenn.,
 dau. of William and Elizabeth (Cookerly) Wilson.

War record, Wm. Hodge Loudon: Enlisted May 4, 1917, 1st Battery, 10th Regt., Com.Officer--H.H.Bateman. At Fort Sheridan until July, 1917; at Fort Benjamin Harrison till Dec. 15, 1918, in Motor Transport Detachment. Honorably discharged Dec. 15, 1918, Indianapolis, Ind.

Lives Birmingham, Mich. 2 ch:-1-a) Elizabeth Mansfield Loudon; b. Mar. 15, 1919.
2-a) Mary Janet Loudon; b. Dec. 27, 1930, Birmingham, Mich.

- Minnie Mansfield (Hodge) Loudon; md. 2nd, on June 11, 1932, to William Hamilton Rowe, of Bloomington, Ill.
- (f) Lillian Hodge; b. Jan. 5, 1868, Danvers, fll.

 md. June 24, 1892, to Francis Allen Bell, b.Oct.
 14, 1859 in Perth, Canada, d. April 12, 1927, Seattle, Wash;
 son of John McLean and Anne (Reynolds) Bell.
 - 1. Mary Catherine Bell; b. Sept. 23, 1894, at Seattle, Wash.



- (g) Emma Hodge; b. Mar. 21, 1870, Danvers, Ill.
 d. Feb. 20, 1901, Bloomington, Ill.
 md. June 8, 1898 to Owen T. Reeves.
 - Marian Reeves; b. Apr. 7, 1899;
 d. Aug. 23, 1900.
- (h) William Clark Hodge; b. Apr. 6, 1874; d. Apr. 30, 1882.
- (i) Julia Fairfax Hodge; b. Sept. 14, 1878.

End of record of descendants of Uriah Shelby and Mary Catherine (Clark) Hodge

Continuing the record of descendants of Jonathan and Nancy (Berry) Hodge.

- III. Mary Walker Hodge (dau. of Jonathan and Nancy (Berry) Hodge;

 b. Feb. 21, 1819, Kentucky;

 d. Feb. 11, 1849, Stouts Grove, Ill.

 Md. Dec. 9, 1847, to James M. Gamble; d. May 1, 1855; son of John and Mary (McLure) Gamble. 1 child-
 - (a) Mary F. Gamble; b. Feb. 8, 1849;
 d. Mar. 11, 1921, St. Louis, Mo.
 Md. Jacob Craig Van Blarcom, b. June 1, 1849; d. Aug. 24, 1908.
 - 1. Jacob Craig Van Blarcom; d. inf.
 - 2. Frederic Van Blarcom; b. June 6, 1885;
 d. July 30, 1929 (?), Kansas City, Mo.,
 buried St. Louis, Mo.
 Md. Apr. 5, 1922, in St. Louis, Mo., to Maxine Browning,
 dau. of J. F. Browning, of Kansas City, Mo.
- IV. Benjamin Berry Hodge (son of Jonathan and Nancy (Berry) Hodge; b. Apr. 10, 1821; d. unm. about 1845.
- V. William Franklin Hodge; b. Aug. 23, 1824, Fancy Creek, Sangamon
 County, Ill.;
 d. May 12, 1893, Danvers, Ill.
 Md. May 30, 1850, to Emma McClure, b. Mar. 9, 1831, d. Apr. 6, 1914,
 dau. of Samuel McClure. There were three children, all of whom died
 in infancy, -- Philura E., Mary Jane, and Shelby T.

Came to McLean County with parents in 1827, and lived at Stouts Grove, and Danvers, Ill., where he died.

- VI. David W. Hodge; b. June 16, 1826; d. unm.
- VII. see next page



- VII. Susan Jane Hodge, dau. of Jonathan and Nancy (Berry) Hodge;
 b. Mar. 16, 1829, Stouts Grove, McLean County, Ill.
 d. Sept. 22, 1894, Canon City, Colorado.
 md. Dec. 17, 1846, to Iris Hobson, b. Feb. 6, 1823, in North Carolina; d. Sept. 16, 1895, Canon City, Colo.; son of Joshua and Margaret (York) Hobson. There were 9 children:--
 - (a) Laura Belle Hobson; b. Oct. 8, 1847, at the home of her grand-parents, Stouts Grove, Ill.

 d. Feb. 16, 1873, Bloomington, Ill.

 md. Dec. 31, 1868, at Mapleton, Bourbon County, Kansas, to Alexander Campbell Blair, b. Nov. 16, 1847, in McLean County, Ill.; d. June 28, 1917, Los Angeles, Calif.; a Civil War veteran, member of Co. F. 37th Ill. Infantry; son of Matthew Ralston and Eleanor (Grey) Blair. After the death of his first wife, Alexander Campbell Blair married on Sept. 5, 1878, at Bloomington, Ill., Mary Louise Limes, b. Highland County, Chio; no children; d. May 24, 1933, Los Angeles, Calif.
 - 1. Charles Marcellus Blair; b. Oct. 6, 1869;
 md. in 1928 at Chicago, Ill. to
 Katharyne Elliott.
 - (b) Charles Marcellus Hobson; b. Mar. 11, 1850, Stouts Grove, Ill.

 md. July 4, 1871, at Mapleton, Kansas,
 to Nancy Jane Jones, b. 1855; d. Feb. 6, 1929, Fairmont, Mo.;
 dau. of John M. and Matilda Jones. There were 5 children:—
 - 1. Julius Loma Hobson; b. Oct. 19, 1873, Mapleton, Kansas; md. July 7, 1905, at Kansas City, Mo., to Blanche Skinner, dau. of Mm. A. and Marietta Skinner. No children.
 - 2. Kennison Marcellus Hobson; b. May 18, 1876, Mapleton, Kans.
 d. Apr. 12, 1925.
 md. June 17, 1907, to Eloise Hill, dau. of Charles and
 Phoebe Hill; 4 children:—
 lea) Samuel Marcelle E.
 - 1-a) Samuel Marcellus Hobson.
 - 2-a) Mary Eloise Hobson.
 - 3-a) Faith Maomi Hobson.
 - 4-a) Nathaniel Paul Hobson.
 - 3. Gertrude Hobson; b. Sept. 27, 1878, Mapleton, Kans;
 dau. of Charles Marcellus and Nancy Jane
 (Jones) Hobson; md. Dec. 19, 1895, at Kansas City, Mo. to
 George Oliver Divilbess, son of Geo. Wesley and Nellie C.
 (Dowd) Divilbess. There were 8 children:—
 1-a) Ethel H. Divilbess; md. Crimmons.
 2-a) Gertrude Orilla Divilbess; md. Reece.
 3-a) Mildred Divilbess.
 - 4. Shelby Valentine Hobson; b. Feb. 14, 1880, Mapleton, Kansson of Charles Marcellus and Nancy Jane (Jones) Hobson; not married (1929).



- 5. Hazel Elva Hobson, granddaughter of Iris and Susan Jane
 (Hodge) Hobson, and daughter of
 Charles Marcellus and Nancy Jane (Jones) Hobson;
 b. Oct. 16, 1884, Scott, Kansas; md. Feb. 18, 1903 to
 John Herbert Mellon, son of Robert and Carrie Mellon; 5 chille) Maybelle Gertrude Mellon; md.

 Moss (?).
 2-a) Muriel Hazel Mellon.
- (b)...continued

 Charles Marcellus Hobson; md. 2nd, in 1891 to Justina Allen,
 b. Apr. 6, 1866, Arvada, Colo.; dau. of Eli and Angeline
 (Robbins) Allen. There were 3 ch. by this 2nd marriage:--
 - 1. Beryl Hobson; b. Dec. 24, 1892, Denver, Colo.

 md. June 27, 1917, Los Angeles, Calif. to
 John Earl Ellsworth, son of John and Jessie Louise (Story)
 Ellsworth.
 - 2. Lucile Hobson; b. 1897, Leadville, Colo.,
 md. 1916, Los Angeles, Calif., to Earl Hall
 Fady, son of Ulysses Lincoln and Cora (Murphy) Fady.
 - 3. Richmond Pierson Hobson; b. Jan. 25, 1900, Leadville, Colomd. 1918, Los Argeles, Calif., to Helyn Phillips, dau. of Harry and Janette (Harris) Phillips
- (c) Mary Hobson; b. Dec. 30, 1851; d. Jan. 1, 1854.
- (d) Alvaretta Jane Hobson; b. Mar. 8, 1854; d. Aug. 14, 1856.
- (e) Mancy Eldora Hobson; b. June 5, 1856 at Stouts Grove, McLean County, Ill.; d. June 17, 1896, at Canon City, Colo., dau. of Iris and Susan Jane (Hodge) Hobson; md. Jan. 16, 1873, at Hepler, Kansas, to Samuel Albert Van Buskirk, b. Oct. 8, 1852, Tipton, Indiana; d. Aug. 19, 1929. in California; son of Dillard and Rebecca (Paull) Van Buskirk. There were 5 children:
 - l. Zelda Pearl Van Buskirk; b. Feb. 24, 1874, Hepler, Kans.
 md. Nov. 17, 1892, at Canon City.
 Colorado, to Wade Oscar Peck, b. June 27, 1869, Nevada lo
 d. June 18, 1931; son of Major Erastus J. and Violette
 (Tibbitts) Peck.
 - I-a) Zelda Ernestine Peck; b. Sept. 9, 1893, Fort Scott, Kans.; md. July 26, 1916, to Ferdinand Alonzo Vaughan, b. Mar. 30, 1887, at Milford, Ohio; son of Wm. Glaze and Eliza Jane (Beard) Vaughan.
 (1-b) William Wade Vaughan; b. June 23, 1917, at Columbus, Mississippi.
 - 2-a) Eldora Violette Peck; b. July 19, 1896, Canon City, Colo.; md. July 29, 1921, at Columbus, Miss. to William Henry Bowlin, b. Mar. 7, 1893, Columbus, Miss.; son of Henry Lee and Lucy Bines (Blasingame) Bowlin. No children (in Mar. 1929).



- 2. Estelle Van Buskirk; b. July 3, 1876, New Albany, Kansas.
 md. (1st) Sept. 7, 1897, at Fort
 Scott, Kans., to Angus McBane Ward, b. Oct. 30, 1870, at
 Metropolis, Ill., d. July 10, 1902, Canon City, Colo. No ch.
- Estelle (Van Buskirk) Ward md. (2nd) Dec. 18, 1906, at
 Denver, Colo., to Dr. Chauncey
 Ira Burt, b. 1868, Dekalb, Ill., son of Henry M. and Helen
 M. (Sprague) Burt. One child:
 1-a) Nancy Ella Burt; b. Oct. 9, 1916, San Francisco, Cal.
- 3. Alta May Van Buskirk; b. Sept. 29, 1878, Hepler, Kans.

 md. Feb. 28, 1900, at Ft. Scott, Kans.

 to Lewis Bradley Divelbiss, of Columbus, Miss., b. Jan. 17,

 1876 at Rantoul, Ill., son of George Wesley and Nellie C.

 (Dowd) Divelbiss. 1 ch.:
 - 1-a) Charles Dudley DeVelbiss (spelling changed by law);

 b. Dec. 15, 1900, at

 Columbus, Miss.; md. Sept. 20, 1924, at Berkeley,

 California, to Cecilia Roberta Van Bokkelen, b. Aug.

 12, 1901, at Brooklyn, N.Y., dau. of Robert and

 Blanche Hutchinson (McKee) Van Bokkelen.

 He now lives in Oakland, California. There was one child by this marriage:

 1-b) Roberta Louise DeVelbiss; b. Sept. 6, 1925,

 at Berkeley, Calif.
 - Md. (2nd) on Mar. 2, 1936, to Beatrice Soulé, dau. of Edmund Gage and Frances (Embury) Soulé.
- 4. Dudley Paul Van Buskirk; b. Dec. 27, 1880, Fort Scott, Kanmd. Jan. 6, 1909, at Canon City, Colo. to Florence Harding, b. Apr. 4, 1886, Canon City, Colo.; the third child of Libheus Leumis and Alice Marie (Wright) Harding. There were 3 children:—
 - 1-a) Estelle May Van Buskirk; b. Nov. 21, 1909, at Canon City, Colo; md. Dec. 5, 1930, at Canon City, Colo. to Grant Watson Adkisson, b. July 6, 1903, at Anthony, Kans., son of Joseph Highland and Ruth (Tincher) Adkisson.
 - 2-a) Alice Eldora Van Buskirk; b. Sept. 3, 1913, at Canon City, Colo.
 - 3-a) Dudley Harding Van Buskirk; b. Jan. 13, 1916, at Canon City, Colo.
- 5. Infant; b. June 5, 1896; mother and child d. June 17, 1896.

End of record of the descendants of Samuel Albert and Nancy Eldora (Hobson) Van Buskirk, dau. of Iris and Susan Jane (Hodge) Hobson.



- 1. Lunda G. Lester; b. May 17, 1877, Uniontown, Kans.
 md. Sept. 16, 1905, at Tacoma, Washington,
 to Daisy Irwin, b. June 21, 1875 at St. Joe. Mo. No ch.
- 2. Daisy Imo Lester; b. Nov. 20, 1878, Ft. Scott, Kansas;
 md. Sept. 14, 1897, at Pueblo, Colorado,
 to Howard Stahl Yeager, b. Nov. 11, 1870, at Altoona, Pa.,
 son of Jacob and Anna (Copley) Yeager. 2 ch:--
 - 1-a) Marian Yeager; b. Nov. 18, 1899, Pueblo, Colo.

 md. Sept. 25, 1918, Ft. Collins, Colo.
 to Morris Dickson Townsend, b. Apr. 2, 1899, at
 Pueblo, Colo.; son of Samuel W. and Edith (Dickson)
 Townsend. 2 ch:--
 - (1-b) Elizabeth Townsend; b. Oct. 19, 1919, Pueblo. (2-b) Barbara Townsend; b. Oct. 27, 1920, Pueblo, Colo.
 - 2-a) Stahl Copley Yeager; b. Aug. 1, 1902, Pueblo, Colo. unm. 1928.
- 3. Leta C. Lester; b. July 10, 1881, Canon City, Colo.

 md. Oct. 11, 1906, at Seattle, Washington,
 to John F. McMinn, b. June 11, 1880, Cheyenne, Wyoming;
 son of John Henry and Elizabeth (Mallen) McMinn. No ch.
- 4. Wm. I. Lester; b. Feb. 2, 1886, Canon City, MColo.

 md. Sept. 1, 1923, at Fasadena, California,
 to Catherine O'Reilly, b. Dec. 1, 1887; dau. of James
 Blanchard and Lillian A. (Tyrrell) O'Reilly. No ch.
- (g) Minnie Edna Hobson; b. Aug. 16, 1861, McLean County, Ill.

 md. Nov. 20, 1879, at Ft. Scott, Kansas,
 to George W. Fitch, b. July 3, 1857, at La Peer, Michigan;
 son of Ephraim and Margaret (Stuart) Fitch. 3 ch:--
 - 1. Myrtle Fitch; b. Apr. 9, 1382, at Ft. Scott, Kansas.
 md. Jan. 20, 1913, at Los Angeles, California
 to Charles Roscoe Valentine, son of Edwin and Jane
 Valentine, No ch.
 - Mabel Fitch; b. Jan. 10, 1887, at Ft. Scott, Kansas.
 d. October, 1905.
 Md. Aug. 1905, at Long Beach, Calif. to Grover Coyle.
 - 3. Leta Fitch; b. June 27, 1890, Ft. Scott, Kansas.
- (h)....see next page.

Key: (f) and (g) are daughters of Iris and Susan Jane (Hodge) Hobson, and granddaughters of Jonathan and Mancy (Berry) Hodge.

1-2-3-4 are grandchildren of Iris and Susan Jane (Hodge) Hobson.

1-a) etc are " "



- (h) Horace Revillo Hobson; b. Jan. 4, 1864;
 d. Feb. 4, 1931, at San Diego, Calif.
 son of Iris and Susan Jane (Hodge) Hobson.
 Md. Dec. 25, 1885, at Ft. Scott, Kansas, to Emma Axton, b.1867
 at Parsons, Kans.; dau. of Philip Axton; d. Aug. 2, 1896. 2 ch:
 - 1. Hally Hardin Hobson; b. Feb. 25, 1886, Ft. Scott, Kansas; md. Sept. 18, 1909, at Los Angeles, California, to Della Fletcher, b. Jan. 27, 1886, at Atchison, Mo.; dau. of George Washington and Mary (Biddle) Fletcher. No ch.
 - 2. Frederick Hobson; b. July 14, 1889, Canon City, Colo.

 md. Nov. 6, 1909, at Long Beach, Calif.,
 to Ella Ouster, b. Nov. 27, 1887, Wichita, Kensas; dau.
 of Martin and Sarah (Kennedy) Ouster. 1 ch:--
 - 1-a) Frederick Hobson, Jr.; b. Sept. 9, 1911, at Long Beach, California.
- (i) William Franklin Hobson; b. Mar. 22, 1866, Stouts Grove, Ill.

 md. Oct. 9, 1907, at Golden, Colo.
 to May Llewellyn, b. July 15, 1875, at Rock Springs, Wyoming;
 dau. of David M. and Mary Llewellyn; d. May 3, 1917, at
 Cripple Creek, Colo. No ch.

End of record of the descendants of

Iris and Susan Jane (Hodge) Hobson,

daughter of Jonathan and Nancy (Berry) Hodge.

And also the end of the record of descendants of Jonathan and Nancy (Berry) Hodge.



B. Rebecca Hodge; b. Dec. 13, 1795, Lexington, Ky.; second child of William and Alcyan (Jones) Hodge.

(For record of first child, Jonathan, see pages 8 to 18 inclusive.)

md. in 1819 at Tompkinsville, Monroe County, Ky. (or Barron), to Achilles Scholl, and lived at Jamestown, Ky. She died about 1850, and is buried at Merry Oaks, Ky., in the family burying ground of her brother William.

Achilles Scholl is said to be a brother of _____ Scholl who wed a daughter of Daniel Boone. (*)

There were four children: --

Amanda Melvina Scholl (cousin of Daniel Boone) b. Aug. 13, 1823;
d. Jan. 31, 1899.
Md. in 1840 to James Eaton, b. Mar. 24, 1814, in Edmondson County,
Kentucky, d. Mar. 27, 1897, at Roseville, Ill., Mar. 27, 1897;
son of Henry Eaton; b. North Carolina.

There were 11 children:-- (#--Note)

- (a) Wm. Harrison Eaton; b. Dec. 9, 1842 in Warren County, Ky.

 nd. Agnes Kelly, of Kentucky;
 lived Berwick, Ill. 1906; there were 6 children:--
 - 1. James Washington Eaton; md. Mary Smith; 3 ch.

2. John William Eaton; unm.

- 3. Thomas Newton Eaton (dec.); md. Etta Clayton; 2 daughters.
- 4. Amanda Elizabeth Eaton; md. Ray; 2 ch.

5. Della Jane Eaton; md. Ray.

- 6. Rudolphus Boone Eaton (dec.); md. Etta Rawsal.
- (b)....see next page.
- (#--Note) Data of Eaton Family given by Mrs. F. Lutke of 514 Willow St., Kewanee, Ill. (in 1909) and by Mrs. Arthur G. Raber, of Lincoln, Neb. in 1906.

Scholl Family Records obtained from Dr. J. B. Scholl in 1906.

(*) Scholl's Ferry road (Oregon) derives its name from Peter Scholl, a Kentuckian who, in 1848, located on Tualatin River, ten miles southeast of Hillsboro, and established a ferry and later built a toll bridge. Before coming to Oregon, he fought in the Black Hawk Indian war. Peter Scholl's father was a nephew (?) of Daniel Boone. One of his ancestors served under General Braddock and George Washington in the French and Indian wars, and was killed near Fort Du Quesne in 1755.



- Key: (b) (c) etc Children of James and Amanda Melvina (Scholl) Eaton;
 1. 2. etc Grandchildren of " " " " "
 - (b) David Newton Eaton; b. May 9, 1845, Warren County, Kentucky.

 Lived Berwick, Ill.

 Md. Dec. 17, 1868, to Mary Eaton, b. May 13, 1851; 3 ch.--
 - 1. Nettie Florence Eaton; b. 1869; md. Raleigh (?); 2 ch.
 - 2. Isaac Russell Eaton; b. 1871; unm.
 - 3. Arthur Wallace Eaton; b. Sept. 16, 1873; md. _____, 3ch.
 - (c) James Beverly Eaton; b. Apr. 11, 1848, in Warren County, Kent. Unm.; lived Roseville, Ill. 1900.
 - (d) Isaac Wesley Eaton; b. Aug. 13, 1850, in Warren County, Kent.
 d. Dec. 12, 1869, in ______ Illinois.
 - (e) Winfield Scott Eaton; b. Aug. 4 (or 21), 1852, Warren Co., Kent. Lived Atlanta, Ill. Md. Margaret Harmon, Sept. 15, 1880; 2 ch.:--
 - 1. Ada F. Eaton; b. July 1885; d. 1893.
 - 2. Harry Eaton; b. Nov. 1887; d. 1896.
 - (f) Amanda Melvina Raton; b. Aug. 24, 1854, Warren County, Ky. d. (unm.) July 4, 1872, Warren Co., Ky.
 - (g) America Ellen Eaton; b. Sept. 21, 1856, in Warren County, Ky.
 md. Lewis M. Capps on Dec. 25, 1877; 2 ch.
 Lived Des Moines, Iowa.
 - 1. Harry Roland Capps; b. July 23, 1882.

 ind. Pearl J. Rice, Sept. 18, 1907.
 - 2. James Roy Capps; b. June 21, 1885.
 - (h) Celia Florence Eaton; b. July 7, 1858, in Warren County, Ky.

 md. Ferdinand Lutke, Nov. 28, 1886; no ch.
 Lived 514 Willow St., Kewanee, Ill., in 1909.
 - (i) Elizabeth Jane Eaton; b. Jan. 17, 1861, Edmondson Co., Ky. md. Franklin McCurdy, Feb. 12, 1882; 5 ch. Lived Roseville, Ill.
 - 1. Rosa Bernadine McCurdy; b. July 9, 1883, in Warren Co., Ill.
 - 2. Leland Franklin McCurdy; b. May 18, 1888, Warren Co., Ill.
 - 3. Florence Beatrice McCurdy; b. June 30, 1893, " "
 - 4. Frances Gertrude Rebecca McCurdy; b. Sept. 10, 1895.
 - 5. Hale Demos McCurdy; b. July 23, 1900.
 - (j) Thomas Lincoln Eaton; b. Mar. 9, 1864, Edmondson County, Ky. Lived Des Moines, Iowa.

 Md. Mary Jane Turner, Nov. 1, 1887; 3 ch.:--
 - 1. Zeta Alta Eaton; b. Aug. 16, 1888.
 - 2. Florence Merle Eaton; b. Apr. 12, 1890.
 - 3. Clyde Gillespie Eaton; b. Jan. 13, 1893.
 - (k) Leah Helen Eaton; b. Mar. 15, 1866, Edmondton County, Ky.
 Lived Lincoln, Neb. (1906)
 Md. Arthur S. Raber, Feb. 27, 1884; 2 ch.:--
 - 1. Lester Hale Raber; b. June 11, 1885, in Iowa.
 - 2. Hazel Elaine Raber; b. May 2, 1889, in Iowa.



II.	Celia Scholl; b. d. md. (1st) Samuel B. Kimball, who died in 1853 or 4. (a) Thomas Weeden Kimball. (b) John Holland Kimball; md. and left large family. (c) Rebecca Emaline Kimball; md. and left large family. (d) Samuel Brockman Kimball.
11	Celia Scholl Kimball; md. (2nd) Augustus Fant; 1 child (a) Jennie Fant.
III.	Sarah Scholl; b. d. Is buried beside her parents at Merry Oaks, Ky. Md. Hiram Overstreet. Three of their children were: (a) Winfield Overstreet. (b) Thomas Overstreet (living in Ozona, Texas, in 1905). (c) Hiram Overstreet.
IV.	Isaac G. Scholl; b. June, 1835, Lexington, Ky. Md. d. Sept. 1872. Lived Russell County, Ky. Among his children were: (a) Dr. J. B. Scholl, of Jabez, Ky. (living in 1905). (b) Isa Scholl; md. Bradley, of Monticello, Ky. (c) Porter Scholl, of Straight Creek, Ky.

End of Record of

Descendants of Achilles and Rebecca (Hodge) Scholl; dau. of William and Alcyan (Jones) Hodge.



C. James Garner Hodge; b. Aug. 22, 1798; third child of William and Alcyan (Jones) Hodge.

(For records of first child, Jonathan, see pages 8 to 18 inclusive; of second child, Rebecca (Hodge) Scholl, see pages 20 to 22 inclusive.)

- Md. (1st) Oct. 13, 1825, to Perlina Rasdall, b. Sept. 11, 1809; 5 ch:--
- I. Sarah J. Hodge; b. Sept. 8, 1826.
- II. Elizabeth W. Hodge; b. June 4, 1823, Smiths Grove, Ky.

 md. July 30, 1857, to David Barrow Denton, b.

 Nov. 2, 1811, at Merry Oaks, Ky., son of David and Rachel (Scholl)

 Denton. (Rachel Scholl was first cousin to Daniel Boone.)
 - (a) Boone Denton; b. Oct. 26, 1858, at Glasgow, Ky.
 d. Feb. 6, 1927, Nashville, Tenn.
 Md. Dec. 5, 1883, at Nashville, Tenn., to Mamie Klein, b. Nov.
 3, 1862, at Indianapolis, Ind., dau. of Andrew and Mary Jane
 (Mason) Klein. 3 ch:—
 - 1. Lucile Denton; b. July 13, 1386, Primeton, Ky.

 md. May 31, 1908, at Memphis, Tenn. to

 Judge John Merrill Paris; 4 ch., all born in New Albany, Ind.
 - 1-a) Mary Lucile Paris; b. Sept. 22, 1909.
 - 2-a) Sara Denton Paris; b. Apr. 19, 1913.
 - 3-a) John Merrill Paris; b. Sept. 28, 1914.
 - 4-a) David Mason Paris; b. Mar. 31, 1924.
 - 2. David Klein Denton; b. Sept. 28, 1887, Princeton, Ky.

 md. Feb. 12, 1913, at Washington, Ind.
 to Mary Belding Corning. They adopted two children.
 - 3. Marian Gray Denton; b. Nov. 18, 1896, Winchester, Tenn.
 md. Apr. 24, 1922, at Auburndale, Fla.,
 to Valedia Weber. (No ch. in 1930).
 - (b) Mary Denton; b. Jan. 1, 1861, Glasgow, Ky.

 md. May 6, 1278, Glasgow, Ky., to Wm. Riley
 Redens, b. Oct. 12, 1859, Dalton, Georgia; son of Wm. and
 Emillie (Ivy) Redens. 4 ch:--
 - 1. Bessie Redens; b. Feb. 9, 1879; md. Feb. 15, 1922, at

 Los Angeles, Calif. to Herbert McLellan; l ch.
 1-a) John McLellan; b. Aug. 3, 1923.
 - 2. Ruth Lee Redens; d. inf.
 - 3. Boone Redens; (Physician); b. Mar. 26, 1881, Taylor, Texas. md; June 23, 1915, at New Albany, Ind. to Hazel Patten; 2 ch:--
 - 1-a) Rose Mary Redens; b. June 8, 1916 2-a) Patricia Joan Redens; b. Nov. 13, 1926.



- 4. Paul Redens; b. Aug. 8, 1885, Wellington, Konsas; son of Wm. Riley and Mary (Denton) Redens, and grandson of David Barrow and Elizabeth W. (Hodge) Denton.
 Md. in 1918 at Champaign, Ill. to Bernice Widdyfield; 3 ch-
 - 1-a) Paul Redens, Jr.; b. Jan. 7, 1921.
 - 2-a) Bettie Lee Redens; b. June 28, 1923.
 - 3-a) Jean Redens; b. Nov. 15, 1928.
- (c) William Denton; b. Sept. 24, 1863; d. Feb. 24, 1883.
- (d) Minnie Lee Denton; b. Jan. 11, 1867, Glasgow, Ky. dau. of David Barrow and Elizabeth W. (Hodge) Denton.

Md. Sept. 10, 1390, at Wellington, Kansas, to William Sherman Rowell, b. Dec. 5, 1864, at Danvers, Ill., son of Charles Carroll (d. 1889) and Margaret (Reyburn) Rowell, 1842-1934. Lives Pewee Valley, Ky. 3 ch:--

Note: Mrs. C. C. Rowell, formerly of Danvers, Illinois, was living in Louisville, Ky. in 1926, with her daughter, Kate (Rowell) Martin. The son, Charles Rowell, died many years ago. His wife, daughter and one son lived in Bloomington, Ill. The other son lived in Virginia.

- 1. Milo Worden Rowell; b. Jan. 6, 1892, Danvers, Ill.

 md. Nov. 11, 1917, at Jeffersonville,
 Indiana, to Edith Hall, dau. of Abner and Mildred
 (Brandenburg) Hall. 2 ch:--
 - 1-a) Elizabeth Lee Rowell; b. June 26, 1923, Louisville, Ky. 2-a) Mildred Jean Rowell; b. Mar. 3, 1923, Louisville, Ky.
- 2. Margaret Rowell; b. Dec. 27, 1893 (unm. 1930).
- 3. Garner Rowell; b. May 23, 1897, Bloomington, Ill.

 md. Jan. 14, 1924 at New Albany, Ind. to

 Virginia Pollard, dau. of Robert and Alma (Carper) Pollard.
 - 1-a) William Robert Rowell; b. Jan. 26, 1925.
- III. William Madison Hodge, son of James Garner and Perlina (Rasdall)

 Hodge; b. May 31, 1830, Pilot Knobs,

 Warren County, Ky.

 d. Cct. 8, 1906, at Danvers, Ill.

Md. Dec. 22, 1870, to Ama Elizabeth Todd, b. Sept. 9, 1840, at Montgomery, Ohio, dau. of John and Elizabeth (Brown) Todd; 2 ch:-

(a) John Edward Hodge; b. Sept. 25, 1871, Danvers, Ill.

Banker; d. Dec. 13, 1933, Cincinnati, O.

md. June 10, 1896, to Carrie Gest, b. Mar. 6, 1373, at

Milford, Ohio; dau. of Joseph and Mary Elizabeth (Laws) Gest.

There were 3 children: -- see next page.



- Children and grandchildren of William Madison and Anna Elizabeth (Todd) Hodge...continued
- 1. Anna Elizabeth Hodge; b. Aug. 26, 1897, Montgomery, Ohio.
 md. Sept. 25, 1926, at Cincinnati,
 Ohio, to Carl Alexander Markgraf, b. Nov. 1, 1893, at
 Cincinnati, Ohio; son of Joseph A. and Anna (Goettheim)
 Markgraf.
 - 1-a) Elizabeth Ann Markgraf; b. Nov. 11, 1928.
- 2. William Howard Hodge; b. Mar. 1, 1902, Montgomery, Ohio. .
- 3. Edward Gest Hodge; b. Mar. 8, 1909, Montgomery, Ohio.
- (b) Bessie Todd Hodge; b. May 7, 1875, Danvers, Ill.

 md. June 15, 1899, at Danvers, Illinois, to
 Walter Parry Polle, b. June 10, 1868, at Newport, Ky., son of
 Phillip and Sarah Clementine (Hodges) Dolle. 3 ch:--
 - 1. Willetta Ruth Dolle; b. July 19, 1900, Norwood, Ohio.

 md. June 15, 1925, at Pleasant Ridge,
 Cincinnati, Ohio, to James George Murrin, b. May 14, 1901,
 at Cleveland, Ohio; son of Phillip Henry and Jane (Lyle)
 Murrin. Lives Columbus, O.
 - 2. Walter Parry Dolle, Jr.; b. Mar. 2, 1911, Montgomery, Ohio.
 - 3. Evelyn Hodge Dolle; b. Mar. 6, 1906; d. May 19, 1906.
- IV. Amelia Hodge; no record.
- V. Robert Hodge, son of James Garner and Perlina(Rasdall) Hodge; b._____d. 1856 unm.
- C. <u>James Garner Hodge</u> md. (2nd) Mrs. Eliza (_____) (Beckham) Hodge; and their children were:--

Lee Hodge. Sarah Hodge. Susan Hodge. Marcella Hodge.

End of record of descendants of James Garner Hodge, third child of William and Alcyan (Jones) Hodge.



- D. Sarah Hodge, dau. of William and Alcyan (Jones) Hodge;
 b. Dec. 7, 1800, Scottsville, Allen County, Kentucky (at that time it was part of Warren County);
 - d. 1854 at Jamestown, Russell County, Ky; md. Archibald Satterfield, b. June 7, 1776; d. Russell County, Ky. There were 7 children:--
 - I. William M. Satterfield; d.y. (Named for his grandfather Hodge.)
 - II. Sheveral Satterfield; md. Esther Turpin.

 - IV. Susan Satterfield; d. unm.

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- V. Preston Satterfield; md. Caroline Scott.
- VI. Jonathan Patterson Satterfield; b. 1833. (Note--see below).

Lived Somerset, Pulaski County, Ky. in 1906. Md. Frances Jane Coffey; 12 ch.

- (a) Sarah Satterfield; b. Nov. 23, 1857.
- (b) Bella Satterfield; b. Sept. 27, 1859.
- (c) Martha Jane Satterfield; b. Feb. 22, 1862.
- (d) Archibald Satterfield; b. May 20, 1864.
- (e) Emma Satterfield; b. June 23, 1866.
- (f) Ellen Frances Satterfield; b. Feb. 2, 1868.
- (g) William Satterfield; b. Mar. 1, 1870.
- (h) Jonathan Satterfield; b. June 12, 1872.
- (i) Myrtle Lee Satterfield; b. July 1, 1874.
- (j) Teresa Satterfield; b. Nov. 10, 1876.
- (k) Annie Satterfield; b. Feb. 13, 1878.
- (1) Luther Satterfield; b. Jan. 10, 1882.

(Note: Family data of the Satterfield branch given by Johnathan Patterson Satterfield, of Somerset, Ky., in 1906, and by Mrs. Sarah P. (Harris) Wilson, of Surshine, Kentucky, in 1907.)

VII. Sarah Margaret Satterfield, dau. of Archibald and Sarah (Hodge)
----- Satterfield; md. John Oliver Rexroat.



E.	Sher	veral Hodge; b. 1802; d. Sept. (?) 30, 1858.
		md Mentlow. They lived in Missouri.
		of their children were George and William.
		veral, with his son, George, was on his way North with cattle for sale
		taken ill with cholera, and died at the home of his Cousin William
		con Hodge, in Bloomington, Ill. He is buried near his brother Jonatha
	in	the Stouts Grove Cemetery, west of Danvers, Illinois.
F.	Will	liam Hodge; b. 1804; lived at Merry Oaks, Ky., but died and is buried
		at Peoria, Ill.
	Md.	Leah Denton, dau. of David and Rachel (Scholl) Denton; 4 ch:
		The Three to Marine Trainer lines The land The land Trainer Trainer to 1005.
	i.	Dr. Francis Marion Hodge; lived Rocky Hill Station, Ky. in 1905;
		was 77 years old then.
	77	md. ; no ch.
	11.	David William Hodge; b. ; d. and had two
		daughters: Josephine, who married J. P. Dillingham; and Imogene F.,
		who married Marr.
		who mailied watte
		David William Hodge md. (2nd) and had three
		sons: William M., David E., and Henry L. Hodge,
		all of whom married; no record of their families.
3	III.	Chas. D. Hodge, son of Wm. and Leah (Denton) Hodge. No record.

IV. Hardy T. Hodge; joined C.S.A. and never heard of again.

This finishes the record, so far as obtainable, of the descendants of

Francis Hodge

and

William Hodge



WILL

of

Uriah Shelby Hodge

In the name of God, Amen. I. U. S. Hodge, of the town of Danvers, County of McLean, and State of Illinois, being of sound mind and memory do make this my last Will and Testament, this 5th day of November, A.D. 1878, as follows, that is to say:

lst, I will and bequeath to my beloved wife, Mary C. Hodge, all my personal and real estate to have and use the same during her natural life, and make such distribution of the property among the heirs as she may think just and equal to the different heirs, having all the right to use the same as though I was living or in other words to have the same authority over and ruling of all my estate both real and personal the same as I have now while living, no administrator being required to act on the estate after my death. All powers to use the same to the best advantage for herself and family during her natural life.

As witness I hereby set my hand and affix my seal in the presence of Henry I. Deal and C. C. Rowell, two witnesses.

Uriah S. Hodge

Atteste:

Henry I. Deal C. C. Rowell.

Will probated Cct. 17, 1881.

Recorded in Book of Wills p. 257,

McLean County, Bloomington, Ill.

Mothers testimony to Will dated

Oct. 31, 1881.



Golconda, Ill. Feb. 8, 1887.

George A. Hodge, Esq.
Blocmington, Ill.

Dear Sir:

My grandfather's name was George. I do not know that he had a middle name. He came from Ky. about 1820. He or his father came originally from North Carolina.

My father's name was John Posey Hodge, born in Kentucky 1811, died April 29, 1875.

I never knew anything of the brothers or sisters of my grandfather, though I have heard recently that one settled somewhere in Central Illinois. Complete records for generations, I am told, were kept by my grandfather, but were destroyed by a spark from a cigar many years ago. All my father's brothers and sisters are dead, but one brother.

Two: Wm. Stewart and George Dillard died within past two years, (1885-1887). James C. still survives.

My sister, who besides myself, is only surviving member of my father's family, can give you some information, Mrs. R. S. Anderson, Baker City, Oregon.

Josiah P. Hodge

(Extracts from letter of Mrs. R. S. Anderson, of Baker City, Oregon, to George A. Hodge, Holder, Ill., dated May 22, 1887.)

I think the Hodges were originally from England. My grand-father moved from Tennessee to Kentucky. My father was born in Kentucky in 1811, and when 8 years old his father moved to southern Illinois. One of my grandfather's brothers moved to somewhere in Central Illinois; my father thought Vandalia, Ill.; he remembered his father's going once to visit him.

My grandfather's name was George Hodge. One of his brothers (given name unknown to me) joined the Shaker Sect. One brother was a Presbyterian minister. One sister married a Paisley. In the part of Tennessee where my grandfather lived, there was a family named Williams related by marriage (I do not know how). My father remembered Uncle Cherry Williams.

A cousin of my grandfather, Dr. Andrew Hodge, lives in Texas. A Mr. Wm. F. Hodge lived in Danvers, Ill. My father was strongly of the opinion that he was of his family.

Carrie (Hodge) Anderson



Mrs. Anderson's grandfather came to Illinois about the same time as your grandfather and mine also. She says about 1820. My grandfather came to Springfield, Ill. in 1820 from Barren County, Kentucky. Your grandfather about the same time. As they emigrated from same state, it is highly probable they were descendants of the same family.

Extract from letter of George A. Hodge to Mrs. McNaught: March 5, 1905.

"My grandfather was Wm. Herron Hodge, born near Wentworth, Rockingham County, North Carolina. Jan. 4, 1794. When about 19 years old he went with his father to eastern Tennessee, settling near Shelbyville, Bedford County. Here he married Rachel Wall, and moved to Barren County, Ky., settling near Bowling Green; but in 1820 came to Illinois, settling about four miles from Springfield, where he remained until Fall of 1824 when he located near Bloomington. His wife died in 1845 (one record says 1844). He married in 1848 Elizabeth Baker, of Decatur, Ill. (One record says Nancy Baker.)"

The father of Wm. Herron Hodge was Francis Hodge, who was a native of Somerset, Penn. and emigrated with a colony to North Carolina about 1760. (This does not agree with data given by other descendants who say he was born in 1766.

J.E.McN.

"I am inclined to believe that the father of Francis, William and James was George Hodge, a brother of John (or John Deboe) Hodge. The descendants of John Deboe Hodge have a complete record. This branch of the family settled in Orange County, North Carolina, in 1760, emigrating from Pennsylvania. John Deboe received a grant of about 600 acres of which record is on file. George Hodge also obtained a tract of land from the colony. Rockingham County, N.C., from which my grandfather Wm. Herron Hodge came, joins Orange County where John Deboe Hodge lived."

The Will of John Hodge, probated in August 1811, Orange County, N.C., shows the following devisees: Agnes Hodge, Robert Hodge, Wm. Hodge, Joseph Hodge, George Hodge, Samuel Hodge, and another Joseph Hodge.

(From D. H. Hamilton, Clerk of Superior Court, Hillsbore, N.C., Feb. 21, 1905.)



Extract from letter from George A. Hodge to Mrs. W. E. Rossney, of Bloomington, Ill.

(These two, one the grandson of Wm. Herron Hodge, the other a granddaughter of Jonathan, cousin of Wm. Herron Hodge, gave a great deal of time to the study of the Hodge family, and we are indebted to them for much early history.)

"The other day I came into possession of all the papers and letters of my grandfather, Wm. Herron Hodge. Among these old letters written in 1836 and 1841, I found one from John Guthrie, of Tennessee, an old gentleman, an uncle of my grandfather. He mentioned an aunt of grandfather's: Sarah Hains, and a cousin, James Hains. Another letter, written in 1841, was from Grandfather's uncles John and Abram Walker who lived in North Carolina.

"An old deed from my great-grandfather, Francis Hodge, to his son James Hodge, in 1822, was also among the papers. It is a curiosity."

Extract from letter from George A. Hodge, of Holder, Ill., to Mrs. J. F. McNaught, dated May 14, 1905.

"In looking over a deed from Francis Hodge to his son James for a tract of land in Lincoln County, Tennessee, I find the names of the witnesses to be James P. Baker and John Guthrie, while the clerk of the court who acknowledged the deed was Brien M. Garner.

"Now from an old letter written by John Guthrie to Wm. Herron Hodge, I find Mr. Guthrie to be the uncle of my grandfather, and James P. Baker is a member of the Baker family of Decatur, Ill.

"I received a letter from P. A. Raby, Register of Moore (formerly part of Lincoln County, Tennessee) in regard to John Guthrie, my grandfather's uncle. Here is what he said: 'I have delayed answering in order to see Joe H. Baxter, whose mother was Elizabeth Guthrie, daughter of John Guthrie. She was sister of Reuben and Simpson Guthrie who went west in 1850. Robin Hodge, Dr. Walker and Dick Coleman married daughters of John Guthrie. Some of the descendants of Coleman by the names of Alexander and Bennett live in Rutherford County, Tennessee, and in Tullahoma, Tennessee lives Allen Guthrie, a descendant.

"I am of the opinion that John Guthrie's wife was a sister of Francis Hodge, and am now investigating to find if I am correct. Will also endeaver to find who Robin Hodge is. For some unknown reason I fail to hear from the Register of Orange County, N.C., though I wrote him when I wrote to Wentworth, N.C. (Rockingham County), and Lynchburg, Tenn.

"I am now in search of Newton Baker, son of Joseph D. Baker, of Leroy, Ill. (believed to live in Missouri). I feel much encouraged that the County Register of Rockingham County, N.C. can furnish me valuable information, as in reading an old letter written by John Walker in 1836, cousin to Wm. Herron Hodge, I find that Francis Hodge counted Nathaniel Scales one of his friends, and I suppose J. A. Scales, the present Register, is probably a descendant."



From letter written to Mrs. J. F. McNaught in 1906 by Jm. H. Eaton, of Berwick, Ill., son of James and Amanda Milvina (Scholl) Eaton, and grandson of Achilles and Rebecca (Hodge) Scholl.

"Now as to James Hodge, I said to you that he died comparatively young.

I meant young as compared with the rest of the family. I can just remember his leaving Kentucky. I remember his death. He died before Grandmother.

"Now as to his being married twice, I do not know. I remember that after his death two of his children, then about grown, came back to Kentucky and made their home mostly at Wm. Hodge's. Their names were Robert and Elizabeth. Robert died there. Elizabeth became the wife of David Denton (I last saw her in Wellington, Kansas). I have always understood that her mother was a Rasdall.

"William, to whom you refer, I think went to California. Anyway he was at the burial of Grandmother, and that is the last time I remember seeing him. He soon left there for Illinois, and my understanding has always been that his home was near Danvers. These three were certainly the children of James, brother to my grandmother, Rebecca (Hodge) Scholl."

Extract from a letter from Wm. Harrison Eaton, in 1906.

"You ask me in regard to the burying ground: Merry Oaks was the name of the Post Office, at one time kept at and on the Denton Homestead, as was a hotel, store, shops, still house, and also a race track. Located in Barron County on the Glasgow and Boxling Green public road, and about ten miles west of Glasgow; and on this, the Denton homestead, is the burying ground. The homestead of Tm. Hodge adjoining the Denton Homestead. In this burying ground were buried grandfather Scholl, grandmother Scholl (who was Rebecca Hodge), and their daughter, Sarah Scholl Overstreet. Sarah Satterfield was buried at or near Jamestown, Russell County, I suppose, as their home was there."

Copy of a letter to Jennie E. McNaught from Jonathan P. Satterfield.

Somerset, Ky. July 13, 1905.

Dear Cousin:

I received your letter a few days ago. I am the 5th of my mother's family. My mother was Sally Hodge, a sister of Rebecca Scholl, James Hodge, Wm. Hodge, Sheveral Hodge, and Jonathan Hodge, for whom I was named.

My mother named her children after Grandpa and Grandma and my uncles. My first brother was named after Grandpa Hodge, my second brother after Uncle Sheveral. My first sister Alcyan after Grandma Hodge. I was named after Uncle Jonathan Hodge, whom I never saw, but I have seen Uncle William, Uncle Sheveral and Uncle James Hodge.

I have one cousin that married Charles Denton of Merry Oaks. They lived in Glasgow, Barren County, Kentucky. Hiram Overstreet married Sarah Scholl, but I don't know where any of them live.



Holder, Illinois April 9, 1905

My dear Mrs. McNaught:

Enclosed I send you copies of letters asked for (John M. Hodge, Keokuk, Iowa, and Fidelio T. Hodge, Evansville, Ind.), in which I hope you may find some information. I am going to Bloomington one day this week, and will see my uncles and will report the result of my interview to you soon. I sincerely hope you may succeed in untangling the 'chinese' puzzle of grandfathers you have been unearthing as the result of letters from the 'Kentucky Hodge Brothers'.

My father always said his father, Wm. Herron Hodge, never talked much about the early Hodge family, and he never heard the name of Francis Hodge's father mentioned. But then, my father went to California in 1850 and did not again see his father (Wm. H.) until May 10, 1873, twenty three years.

I never had the pleasure of seeing grandfather until I was a boy of 14. He was then eighty years of age, but his mind was clear and he possessed a wonderful memory, and when not engaged in conversation was an incessant reader. I have heard him speak of his Uncle Charles, and scenes in North Carolina.

After his death in 1875 I went to see his sister Mary who was Mrs. Baker, of LeRoy. She once gave me a large pocket-knife that once belonged to her father, Francis Hodge. She had a great many books and papers belonging to her father, but after her death her step-son either destroyed the papers or took them with him. This step-son lives in Kansas, but I am unable to locate him.

I have for a long time planned a trip to North Carolina where the early Hodges lived, but it has seemed impossible to get away. I am going to make the trip the first favorable opportunity. In the meantime I will keep hunting up all the Hodge information I can in the way of letters to persons bearing the name. No doubt the records in Rockingham County, N.C. will show some clue that I may get.

Your Uncle William came to father's frequently and he was always very enthusiastic about "Hodge history" and he and father would talk regarding the matter. I have heard him speak of Fidelio Hodge of Evansville, Indiana, but I never heard him mention a Doctor Hodge. I presume the records in Rockingham or Orange Counties would show what disposal was made of the property of George Hodge, supposed to be a brother of John Deboe Hodge, and if he was a man of family also give the names of the heirs, but I will not burden you with any more this time. I am,

Yours very sincerely, Geo. A. Hodge



Extracts from letter of Mr. E. G. Hodge, of Decatur, Ill., written in April, 1887, to Mr. George Hodge, of Normal, Ill.

My great-great-grandfather was John Deboe Hodge, born Nov. 7, 1732, died May 2, 1811. Supposed to be the father of Rev. Wm. Hodge, Sr., born Sept. 17, 1752, died May 14, 1819, who had the following children:

John Deboe (oldest son), William, Agnes, Charity, Ann, Jane, and Stephen Hodge.

(Note: No 'George' in above list, but he continues: --

George Hodge, my great-grandfather, had the following children:

Samuel, George, William, Nancy, Katie, Margaret, Sallie, and Joseph Hodge. The last was my grandfather, born in Guilford County, N.C. in 1788, moved to Henry County, Tennessee, where he died in 1827.

His children were: Henry J., dec. in 1887; Tabithia J.; Araanna Hays; Caroline (died in 1887); and Joseph Jasper Hodge, my father, born Feb. 10, 1822, died Sept. 1872 at Decatur, Ill.

He had the following children: John L., Robert T., and Edward G., all living and all unmarried.

A letter from James A. Hodge in 1887 says:

My home which has been the life long home of my father, William S. Hodge, and Grandfather George Hodge, is in Pope County, near Golconda. I think my grandfather came from North Carolina.

A letter from a Robert Hodge, Chatfield, Texas, 1883.

(Then 75 years old)

Three brothers emigrated to Virginia and North Carolina; one, John Hodge, bought from the North Carolina Colony a large tract of land. One brother settled in Lusbill City, Virginia; the other (Thomas) in Westmoreland County, Virginia.

A letter from Mr. Geo. A. Hodge, of Holder, Ill., in 1905, says:

I went to see my Aunt, Mrs. Woodworth, who says she found among her father's (Wm. Herron Hodge) papers, a book given him by your uncle, Wm. F. Hodge. The London Quarterly, published by Presbyterian Board of Missions; an account of the work of Rev. William Hodge (son of John Deboe Hodge), Rev. McGready and Rev. McGhee, in Tennessee and Kentucky from 1800 to 1820. Your uncle told Mrs. Woodworth that he and this Rev. William Hodge mentioned, were related, but did not say how.



Extracts from letter written by J. N. Baker, in 1887.

Joseph Hodge was my mother's father, born in Guilford, North Carolina in 1788, married Sally Lindsay in 1812; moved to Henry County, Tennessee, where he died in 1827. His wife moved back to Wilson County, Tennessee, and there married Robert Wilson; came here in 1829. She died in 1872, and he in 1873.

Their daughter, Tabithia J., was born in 1814 in Orange County, North Carolina; in 1835 married Newton N. Baker (d. 1872).

My mother had a talk with your Grandfather, William Herron Hodge, about the Hodge family, and he remembered some of the older ones I have written about and would trace the relationship between the two families, but she cannot remember to give the particulars. Your grandfather remembered Rev. Wm. Hodge and Joseph, his brother, and their families, and told her what relation they were to him.

W. B. Lynn, of Carrollton, Illinois, has the family records of Rev. Wm. and his brothers, Joseph and Robert.

HODGE NOTES.

March 7, 1907 -- from Virgil Garvin, Clerk of Warren Co., Ky., Bowling Green.

Wm. Hodge owned land in this county, but there is no record as to how he got it.

William Hodge sold the land-or some land- to James Hodge in this County in 1831."

William Hodge married Susannah Lee in 1800."

This may have been in the line of James, brother of William and Francis.

Early Hodge records no doubt could be found in Earron, Warren, Monroe, and possibly Metcalf, Hurt or Adair Counties. (Russell County was taken from Adair. Barron, Warren and Monroe seem to have been divided.)



Francis Hodge I. was Scotch, and was shipwrecked while on the way to America and settled for a time in County Antrim in North Ireland; emigrated from there to Pennsylvania sometime between 1762 and 1772.

He married Martha Sproat; lived in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania; emigrated to North Carolina (now Sullivan County, Tennessee) in 1779. Pastor of New Bethel Church.

His son, Francis II, married Elizabeth Ferguson, whose parents were from Pennsylvania.

Their children were: 1- William, 2- John, 3- James, 4- Francis (who married Priscilla and they were parents of Dr. Samuel), 5- Josiah, 6- Samuel, 7- Joseph, 8- Elizabeth, 9- Mary, 10- Susan, 11- Martha.

He says the names underlined are old family names in his line.

Dr. Samuel was the second son of Francis and Priscilla, was born June 7, 1829, at The Fork, in Sullivan County, Tennessee; graduated from Washington College, Tennessee, in 1850. In 1853 graduated from Pres. Theological Seminary, Princeton, N.J.; in September, 1865, was chosen to fill the Chair of Languages, at Lenox; and in 1866 was made President. Was Pastor of Presbyterian Church at Hopkinton, also Rockford, Ill. In 1885, went to Lake Forest, Ill; in 1889 accepted call to Presbyterian Church, of West Union, Iowa. Died Jan. 4, 1891.

Mr. John M. Scott (July, 1929(, a nephew of Dr. Samuel Hodge, and Professor of Latin in Washington College, Tennessee, gives the children of Francis I. as 1- Francis, 2- Ambrose, 3- Jennie (married Mr. Wallace), 4- Mattie (married John Alison).

In 1927 or '28, I had a picture from a newspaper, of an old gentleman, Benjamin Hodge, of Poplar Bluff, Mo., said to be 114 years old. Tried to trace him but failed.

Missouri Man, 120
Dies of 'Old Age'

Popular Bluff, Mo., Oct. 2 (1933)-(U.P.) Uncle Ben Hodge, 120 died
to day from a complication of physical
ailments attributable to old age.
He underwent an operation
for amputation of his left leg
August 28, and apparently was recovering satisfactorily, for he was removed
to the home of relatives here.

Note: It is believed he was the son of Sheveral Hodge (1802-1858)



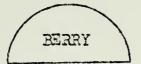
BEKKY COAT-OF-ARMS

Arms: Gules, three bars Or.

Crest: A Griffin's head erased per pale indented.
Argent and gules.

Motto: Per Ardua. (Through hard labor)





While we have traditions and two ancestral lines given us (neither one carrying sufficient proof to make it reliable) we must begin with known proof.

Joseph Berry (the first) married Catherine . There were three children. Margaret Berry died 1725. Benjamin Berry, born 1725. And "Joseph Berry ye son of Joseph and Catherine Berry was born 27--1723." St. Pauls Register, of King George County, Virginia. (He being our ancestor).

Joseph Berry's residence was in Frederick County, Virginia, where his Will was written in 1806, which names his five children by first wife; his second wife, Huldah, and her seven children.

Tradition and some little evidence say his first wife was a Fairfax. This we cannot prove but believe that the Rebeckah Berry to whom Lord Fairfax gave a "grant of land for herself and two sons by a former marriage" was closely related to Lord Fairfax and was the first wife of Joseph Berry. (Joseph's first daughter was named Rebeckah, and his son Benjamin named his first daughter Rebecca.) It is probable that Joseph lived first in King George County, going later to Frederick County.

It is said by a descendant in the Lindsey family (Miss Marguerite Berry Lindsey, of Boyce, Va.) that Joseph Berry came to Clarke County (then Frederick) in 1840 and that the home of Joseph Berry and the land surrounding it has not been out of the possession of the family since he bought it in 1740; but in 1759 he is named in Deed from Thomas Ashby as "of Hanover Parish, King George County, Va." and he is not given in the first census of Frederick County, 1782 -- but, as above stated, his Will is recorded in Frederick County in 1806, wherein he names himself "of Frederick County, State of Virginia".

The children of the first wife, Rebecca Fairfax, were:

- 1. Francis.
- 2. Rebecca. Md. (1st) Wood, (2nd) Earls.
- 3. Susanna. Md. Conway.
- 4. Mary. Md. Conway.
- 5. Benjamin, 1755; md. Sarah Mathews; died 1823.



We have seven children by the second marriage to Huldah Hewlett (some say there were nine).

- 6. Joseph Berry.
- 7. William Berry.
- 8. Thomas Berry.
- 9. Huldah Berry.
- 10. Kitty Berry (Catherine).
- 11. Margaret Berry.
- 12. Sarah Berry.

(12 includes both marriages).

We have no record of the first four by the first marriage other than stated. We follow the fifth.

Benjamin Berry was born 1755-60 in King George or Frederick County, Va.; died 1815. He lived for a time in Frederick County, (first four children were born there, according to records given by a granddaughter, Caroline Berry, in 1882); going later to Allen County, Kentucky, where he owned a farm of 400 acres adjoining Scottsville.

In 1782 he married Sarah Mathews, whose mother was a Miss Grady, who came from Ireland between 1750 and 1760. Given name of Sarah's father is not known, but possibly it was Martin, as Sarah named a son Martin Mathews Berry.

There were five children in the Mathews family:

- 1. Jane who died (unm.) aged 101.
- 2. Elizabeth md. Brown.
- 3. Nancy md. Guy.
- 4. William.
- 5. Sarah, wife of Benjamin Berry.

It was said by the descendants in Kentucky that Joseph Berry disapproved of his son's marriage to Sarah Mathews, and these descendants, in consequence, knew little of their Virginia relations.

Benjamin Berry died in Scottsville, Allen County, Kentucky, in 1815. Sarah (Mathews) Berry married (2nd) a Mr. Lisle, moved to Union County, Ky., where she died in 1823, and is buried in Old Bethel churchyard.

Benjamin and Sarah (Mathews) Berry had ten children:

- A. Daniel Berry; died in Indiana.
- B. Frunklin Berry; died Vicksburg, Miss.
- C. Wm. Berry; died about 1860. One daughter.
- D. Nancy Berry; b. Jan. 21, 1793, Winchester, Frederick Co., Va.
 - d. Stouts Grove, Ill., Sept. 10, 1859.
 - md. Jonathan Hodge (see Hodge Family Record).
- E. Jane Berry; md. James Brown. One daughter, Mary Brown.
- F. Rebecca Berry; md. Joseph Blue. Lived Scottsville, Union Co., Ky.
- G. Elizabeth Borry; died unmarried.
- H. Martin Mathews Berry....see next page.



T	Monti	1 Mathews Berry; b. Aug. 10, 1805; d. 1892.
- .		md. March 2, 1826, Rachel Anderson, b. Sept. 3, 1808.
	ī.	Mary Berry; b. Jan. 26, 1827; md. Benjamin F. Delaney. (I think they had a dau. Elizabeth. J.E.McN.)
	II.	Wm. Franklin Berry; b. May 24, 1828; d. 1893. md. Anne Berry. One child was H. E. Berry of Uniontown, Ky.
	III.	Another was N. A. Berry. Benjamin Berry: b. Oct. 21, 1829; d. unmarried.
	IV. V. VI.	John Thomas Berry; b. Feb. 9, 1831; md. Amelia Tortat. Eliza Berry; b. Nov. 6, 1833; md. Adam Hangar. Sara Ann Berry; b. Feb. 26, 1836; md. Marcus R. Netherton.
	VII.	Helen Isabelle Berry; b. May 17, 1837; md. Lewis H. Hodgins, Nov. 16, 1854. Caroline Berry; b. Feb. 17, 1839; d. unm.
	IX.	Nancy Emaline Berry; b. June 17, 1841; md. (1st) James W. Metcalfe; md. (2nd) W. D. Kerr.
-	X.	Martin Van Buren Berry; b. Oct. 19, 1844.
I.	Md. i 1865, Hodge	A. Berry, dau. of Benjamin and Sarah (Mathews) Berry; b. May 24, 1812, in Kentucky; d. Sept. 20, 1881, Big Rock, Ill. n Kentucky, Justus H. Ament, b. Apr. 27, 1808 in N.Y.; d. Dec. 12, Big Rock, Ill. (brother to John Lawson Ament, husband of Sarah Ann a.) (There were two other brotherspossibly moreEdward, and a Ament, who came to California in the "Gold Rush" days and thought ave lived in Napa County, California.
	Ten c	hildren:
	I.	John V. Ament; b. Dec. 6, 1829 in Kentucky. Family not traced. Wm. Tecumseh Ament; b. May 7, 1831, Ky.; d. Pontiac, Ill. about 1900. Wife Harriet 7 ch:
		(a) Wm. T. (b) Charles; md. his cousin, Martha Burdick (c) Mabel
		(d) Louisa; md. (lst) Dr. Tallman, of Chicago; md. (2nd) Dr.
		(e) George (f) Joe (g) Harriet.
	III.	Benjamin B. Ament; b. Oct. 3, 1832 in Kentucky. Believed to have died unmarried.
	IV.	Hester J. Ament; b. June 19, 1835, Big Rock, Ill. d. Minneapolis, Minn. Md. Jenkins. 4ch:
		(a) Wm. Tecumseh (b) Evalyn; md Brundage; lives 2501 Stewart Ave., Boise, Idaho (1933)

(c) Horace (d) Hattie; md. McLean.



V. Calysta Ann Ament; b. Nov. 13, 1837, Big Rock, Illinois;
d. 1917 (or '18), Deming, New Mexico.
In 1855 md. Daniel E. Hathaway (who died in 1856); 1 ch:—
1 ch:— Daniel E. Hathaway, Jr.

Calysta Ann (Ament) Hathaway; md. (2nd) in 1861, Elan Elmer Burdick. 2 ch:--

- (a) Martha Burdick, who married (1st) her cousin, Charles Ament, son of Wm. T. Ament; md. (2nd) Harris Akins; lives 1312 S. College St., Fort Collins, Colorado.
- (b) Pliny Burdick.
- VI. Evalyne Amelia Ament; b. Feb. 16, 1840, Big Rock, Illinois;
 d. Feb. 20, 1920, Garden Grove, California.
 Md. Aug. 23, 1855, at Big Rock, Ill., to Charles Knight, b. July 20.
 1830, at Roxbury, Vermont; d. July 25, 1905, Muscatine, Iowa; a
 descendant of John Knight who about 1635 came with wife and
 children from England and settled in Watertown, Mass.

Charles and Evalyne Amelia (Ament) Knight lived for a time in Saybrook, Illinois; moved to Muscatine, Iowa, about 1880.

Mrs. Lake, a daughter, wrote in 1933 that "there are several cousins in both Ament and Knight families living in Aurora, Ill., and cousins elsewhere in Illinois".

Evalyne Amelia (Ament) Knight md. (2nd) H. F. Palmer, of Chino, California.

Children of Charles and Evalyne Amelia (Ament) Knight were:--

- (a) Winfield Curtis Knight; b. Sept. 23, 1856, Big Rock, Ill.
 d. Mar. 16, 1933, Muscatine, Iowa.
 md. Carolyn Hahn, Sept. 18, 1884, Muscatine, Iowa. 6 ch:--
 - 1. Ralph S. Knight.
 - 2. Estella Knight; md. Chas. W. Harbaugh.
 - 3. Clifford C. Knight; d. 1913.
 - 4. Winfield J. Knight.
 - 5. Gertrude Enight.
 - 6. Thelma Knight; md. Fred G. Kinzle.
- (b) Ernest Wayland Knight; b. Dec. 9, 1858, Kaneville, Illinois; d. Aug. 22, 1924, Tekonsha, Michigan. Md. Kathryne Newcome, of Saybrook, Ill. 6 ch:--
 - 1. Jesse Knight.
 - 2. Edith Knight; md. Higgins.
 - 3. Faith Knight.
 - 4. Gladys Knight.
 - 5. Frances Knight.
 - 6. Lois Knight.
- (c) Effie May Knight; b. Oct. 11, 1861, Big Rock, Illinois;
 md. Judson Boardman Vance, of Danvers, Ill,
 son of Peter Hay and Louisa Ann (Mitchell) Vance. 3 ch:--
 - 1. J. Bernard Vance.
 - 2. Delbert K. Vance.
 - 3. Peter Harold Vance.



Caldwell.

(d) Justus Ament Knight; b. Nov. 11, 1865, Big Rock, Illinois; d. Aug. 14, 1929, Muscatine, Iowa. md. Clara Butz, of Muscatine, Iowa; 1 ch:--1. Vera Knight; md. Carpenter. (e) Louella Evalyne Knight; b. July 25, 1868, Kaneville, Illinois; d. Sept. 18, 1926, Clarkston, Wash. md. Samuel W. Woods. No children. (f) Mary Aurora Knight; b. Mar. 26, 1870, Bloomington, Illinois; md. Frank McConnell. 4 ch;--1. Charles W. 2. Clair M. 3. George C. 4. Edith; md. Hale. (g) Susan Berry Knight; b. Sept. 7, 1872, Saybrook, Illinois; md. Edwin G. Masters. 7 ch:--1. Vera Masters; md. _____ Venn. 2. Mildred; md. Burks. 3. Lora. 4. Judson. 5. Sydney. 6. Donald. 7. Frances; md. Bowlin. (h) Edith Mabel Knight; b. Feb. 24, 1878, Saybrook, Illinois; md. Dec. 20, 1898, in Muscatine, Iowa, to Harry Aubrey Lake, b. Oct. 22, 1873, Oswego, Labette County, Kansas; son of James Lafayette and Tamar Elizabeth (Dungan) Lake. 4 ch:--(Mrs. Harry A. Lake and family moved to Garden Grove, Calif. in 1910. The two sons in lumber business with their father who is (1933) president of California Retail Lumberman's Association.) 1. Eva Louise Lake; b. May 1, 1900, La Crosse, Wisconsin. 2. Charles Lafayette Lake; b. Feb. 24, 1903, Canton, Ill. md. June 3, 1929, at Temple, Texas, to Mayme Louise Young, of Temple, Tex. 3. Harry Louis Lake; b. July 15, 1910, Garden Grove, Calif. 4. Myra Mabel Lake; b. Oct. 7, 1912, Garden Grove, Calif. VII. Mary Susan Ament, dau. of Justus E. and Susan A. (Berry) Ament; b. July 17, 1844, Big Rock, Illinois; Aurora, Ill. md. Merton Hendricks. 2 ch: -- Earl and Stella (Hendricks) Converse. VIII. Martin M. Ament; b. Aug. 26, 1846, Big Rock, Ill.; d. about 1865, unm. IX. Justus E. Ament; b. Dec. 4, 1848, Big Rock, Ill, wife named Stella ; no record of children. Χ. Oscar N. Ament; b. Sept. 6, 1852, Big Rock, Ill.; d. Jan. 50, 1922, Aurora, Illinois. md. (1st) and had 2 children: -- Berton and Mabel (Ament)

md. (2nd) Mary ; 1 ch: -- Merton J. Ament.



J. Benjamin Berry, son of Benjamin and Sarah (Mathews) Berry;
md. Mary Anderson. One child was Elizabeth, and
one was William, who married ______ Fletcher.

Children by second marriage of Joseph Berry to Huldah Hewlett:

- 6. Joseph Berry; first child of Joseph Berry and Huldah Hewlett.
 Physician and surgeon, United States Navy.
- 7. William Berry; second child of Joseph Berry and Huldah Hewlett. Sheriff of Clark County. Married Hannah Lacy.
- 8. Thomas Berry; third child.
- 9. Huldah Berry; fourth child.
- 10. Kitty (Catherine) Berry; fifth child.
- 11. Margaret Berry; sixth child.
- 12. Sarah Berry; md. 1806 Dr. James Lindsay (1773-1818) of Long Warsh, Clark County.

There were seven children, according to Mrs. Keys in article on Lindsey Family in issue of Baltimore Sun, May 5, 1907.

Huldah Lindsey (1807-1867) unm.

James Madison Lindsey; b. Berrys Ferry, 1809; d. 1864.

Physician and surgeon.

Married Issue; --

- a. George Winston
- b. John
- c. Adele

Catherine Lindsey; b. 1810; md. Joseph Lacy.

Joseph Berry (D.D.S.); b. 1813; married

Sarah Margaret; b. 1814; unm.

John Thomas; b. 1817; md.

b. 1817; md. Adele Yearley; no children.

Hannah E. b. 1816; and her first cousin, Stephen

Lindsey.

Issue:--

- a. William
- b. Thomas
- c. John
- d. Joseph Berry Lindsey; married Mary Eliza McCormick.

Issue:--

- d-1. Margaret Berry Lindsey.
- d-2. Frank Lindsey.
- d-3. Edward Alexander Lindsey.
- d-4. Elizabeth Lindsey.
- d-5. Anne Lindsey.
- d-6. William Lindsey.
- d-7. *John Thomas Lindsey married in 1906 to
 Ada Goode (d. 1913) Issue:--
 - 1. Marguerite Berry Lindsey.
 - 2. Eleanor Thornton Lindsey.
 - * John Thomas Lindsey married in 1916 Ada Hummer. No children.



BERRY TRADITION AND NOTES.

The traditional record as given by Miss Carrie Berry, of Morganfield, Ky. in letters during 1882-1887-1896 and 1905, to Mrs. J. C. Van Blarcom, of St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. J. F. McNaught, of Hermiston, Oregon, is as follows:

"Joseph Berry, born probably in England, came to America early in the 18th Century to survey lands in Virginia for Lord Fairfax, his brother-in-law For his service he was granted a tract of land nine miles square on the Shenandoah River in Frederick County, including Berry's Ferry and Ashby's Gap (now known as Berrysville).

"Do not know whether he was married in England or Virginia. He was a man of wealth. Was twice married; first to Miss Fairfax (possibly Rebecca), a sister of Lord Fairfax, by whom he had five children".

August 6th 1883 Mnivni town Sky

In attempts to verify these traditions, we found that Joseph Berry did not marry a sister of Lord Fairfax, (as Fairfax records proved), and while we believe Joseph Berry's first wife was a Fairfax, her name and place in the family have not yet been found (May 1953).

In one letter, Miss Berry said:

"There were three brothers who came to America together; Joseph, William, and Benjamin."

She also said:

"Joseph Berry surveyed the lands of Lord Fairfax with George Washington."

Examination (May 1933) of Washington's Journal, and surveying notes, show no mention of a Berry assisting him in any way, but there were Ashbys assisting him who were, no doubt, of the "Ashby family that lived neighbor to Joseph Berry".

Examination of Virginia Records by Mr. W. G. Stanard in 1905 -"revealed no large grant of land to Joseph Berry from Lord Fairfax, but there
was one of 300 acres". (This was no doubt the land deeded to Joseph Berry
by Thomas Ashby in 1757, which included Berry's Ferry, which shows that the
Ferry rights did not come to Joseph Berry from Lord Fairfax.) J.E.McN.



In 1906 I sent to King George County, Virginia, for records, and was told there was a record of a deed made by Joseph Berry alone in 1725.

Undoubtedly the Joseph (and wife Catherine) was the father of our Joseph, 1723.

A deed in 1759 by Joseph Berry and wife (name not given), said he was a resident of Stafford County but owned land in King George County. I sent to Stafford County for records and found that all records of 1725 to 1759 were destroyed during the Civil War.

In 1917 I found the Will of Joseph Berry, in Frederick County, which named the five children by his first wife, but not as given by Miss Carrie Berry who gave a William, no Mary, and Franklin instead of Francis.

Mr. Clayton Torrance (a genealogist, and author of Winstons and Their Allies, 1931) wrote in May 1906 that "Joseph Berry had two large grants of land from Lord Fairfax, and several other Berrys also held grants under him, among them Rebeckah Berry for herself and two sons by a former marriage."

It did not impress me at that time that this Rebeckah Berry could be Joseph Berry's wife, and this may account for not finding record of a Berry-Fairfax marriage, for which search has been made in many places.

If there are grants from Lord Fairfax to William and Benjamin Berry as well as to Joseph, it would be some corroboration of the tradition that three brothers — named as above — came to this country together, and would indicate connection in some way between the two families: Fairfax and Berry.

Joseph Berry names daughters by first marriage, in his Will, as follows: Rebeckah Barls, who was Rebeckah Woods who was Rebeckah Berry.

Susanna (Berry) Conway.

Mary (Berry) Conway.

It is possible that records of <u>Earls - Woods - and Conway</u> families would give some information as to <u>first wife of Joseph Berry</u>.

It is said that the name Berry appears in the Register of Christ Church Parish, Middlesex Co., Va., as early as 1689 and on down to the Revolution.

Record in Frederick County, Virginia, of Will of John Berry, dated Oct. 23, 1768, proved Oct. 8, 1773, mentions sons William and John -- William, 75 acres in Middlesex County; son John 75 acres adjoining the land my father gave, and adjoining the land I have given William. Wife Frances to have the whole of my land during her widowhood.

Denjamin Berry, b. 1756, enlisted for Revolutionary service October 1776 from King George County, Va.; applied for pension 1833 (age 77), then living in Mason County, Kentucky.

Captain Thomas Berry, b. King George County, Va. 1735; died Frederick County, Va. 1818. Daughter -- Jennie (Berry) Kercheval -- named a son Denjamin Berry Kercheval. (Could this Thomas have been son of Denjamin listed in first Census 1782 of Frederick County? J.E.McM.)

(I think this line is found in D.A.R. Lineage Book)



A letter written in 1907 to Mrs. J. F. McNaught by H. T. Berry, of Meedonville, Va., tells of the old burying ground on the old Berry place -- "Berry Plain" -- a farm in King George County, Va., on North bank of Rappahannock River. He lived 12 miles from this place. These, people were his ancestors. He said a Great Aunt of his, Miss Mildred Berry, who died in 1887 (age 80) used to tell him of the early Berrys but he couldn't remember much. Mildred had a brother, who had a son, John Scott Berry, who was Clerk of Court, Fredericksburg, Va., in 1907. H. T. Berry said there was an old broken tombstone in the family burying ground at Berry's Plain. A few words legible and scemed to be in memory of wife of John or Joseph Berry. Date plainly visible -- 1749.

In King George County --- June 1, 1721, the Will of William Berry of that County was presented for probate by Joseph Berry, his executor.

In King George County, Virginia, is a Deed recorded in 1759 by a Joseph Terry and his wife (name not given).

(Comment by J.E.McN. This latter might be our Joseph selling his King George land when moving to Frederick County when he acquired land from Thomas Ashby, 1759.)

Augusta County Records show that John, Francis, and David Berry received grants in 1771. (Augusta and Frederick had conflicting lines at this time). The boundary lines of Culpepper, Orange, Frederick, and Augusta were conflicting long after 1756. All of Northern Virginia west of the Blue Ridge was included in Orange County. In 1738 Augusta and Frederick were taken from Orange. These counties had overlapping boundaries, and have since been divided into other Counties.

In Acts of the Virginia Assembly, it is shown that in 1736 the Colonial Governor had been apprised of the necessity of ferries along the Shenandoah River. In 1748, the House of Durgesses passed a law declaring streams a part of the general domain.

In 1736 John Kersey was given the Ferry Right over "Sherrando" River by Orange County. Frederick County confirmed this right in 1744. This land at Kersey's Ferry was owned by Thomas Ashby and he conveyed it to Joseph Terry in 1757 and very soon it was called Derry's Ferry. By act of the General Assembly of Virginia, full rights to run this ferry were given Joseph Derry in 1790.

There is a deed recorded in Frederick County, Va., dated March 30, 1759, from Thomas Ashby of Hamilton Parish, Prince William County, Virginia, to Joseph Derry of Hamover Parish, King George County, conveying 300 acres in Frederick County on the Shenandoah River, adjoining land of Wm. Ashby the Elder. (Derry descendants in Kentucky said "Joseph Derry" had land on Shenandoah River.)

Miss Keys, the Maryland Genealogist, in her article on Lindsey Family in Taltimore Sun, May 5, 1907, said: --- Joseph Berry removed to Clarke County about the middle of the 18th century. Also says: --- "Old records show that Benjamin Berry, brother of Joseph Berry, and Eliza Coulston, donated land for the County Seat of Clarke County, Berryville, which perpetuates the name of the donor --- "Berry's Ferry" was named for Joseph Berry."

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First Census of Frederick County, Virginia, 1782, shows Thomas, Francis, and Benjamin Berry already established in homes of their own.

Thomas Berry - - - - - 12 whites - - - - - 10 negroes Francis Berry - - - - - 6 whites - - - - - 2 negroes Benjamin Berry - - - - - 12 whites - - - - - 16 negroes

No record of Joseph Berry's household at taking of first Census, but after death of his second wife, inventory of her estate Aug. 29, 1822, many slaves were listed with her property.

Mrs. R. C. Brooks, of 918 W. Primess Road, Norfolk, Va., says her "Great-grandfather was Benjamin Berry, born in Frederick, Va., and married Jane Bell, daughter of John Bell, a Revolutionary Soldier; moved to Kentucky and lived and died at the old Elm Farm near Lexington."

(Not our ancestor.)

Joseph Berry's Will was probated in Frederick County, Va. in 1806; was undoubtedly of King George County, Va., where he figures considerably as a surveyor.

His parents were Joseph and Catherine Berry, and the St. Paul's Parish Register of King George County records states that "Joseph Berry ye son of Joseph and Catherine Berry was born 27 of 1723. (M.P.

He had a brother Benjamin Berry, born 1725, and a sister Margaret who died in 1725. (St. Paul's Parish Register) (M.P.W.)

Joseph Berry of Frederick Co. Jent here from King George Co.

The St. Paul's Parish Register of King George County may give the wife of Joseph Berry's parents in greater detail.

I find this note which may be of assistance for further research.
Mrs. Derry Sim (wife of Dr. Frank L. Sim), daughter of <u>Uriah</u> G. Derry and <u>Amanda Richmond</u>. Grand-daughter of John Derry and Maria <u>Hodge</u>. Great-granddaughter of James Berry and Mary Montgomery.

(This line found in D.A.R. Lineage Dook. H.F.McN.G.)

Note:- James Berry (1750-1836) enlisted from Bucks County, 1777; was at Brandywine, Germantown, Monmouth, and Yorktown.

Married Mary Montgomery.

MATHEN NOTES

The Mathews have been numerous and prominent in the Valley since early Colonial times. "Stout George Mathews" was Col. of 9th Va. Line. Entered Rev. service from Augusta Co. and captured at Germantown. Several Mathews served in the old Indian Wars.

(Mrs. Joseph Berry, Genealogist of Vienna, Va.)
(Not of our Joseph Berry Line)



WILL of JOSEPH BERRY

Recorded at Winchester, Frederick Co., Va.

In the name of God, Amen. I, Joseph Berry, of Frederick Co., State of Virginia, being in a tolerable state of health, and of sound mind and memory, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as follows:

First and principally I give and bequeath my soul unto Almighty God, hoping for acceptance thereof through the merits of Jesus Christ, and my body to be buried. in a decent and Christianlike manner at the discretion of my executrix hereinafter mentioned, and with respect to my worldly estate, all my just debts being first paid and discharged.

Item:

I give and bequeath unto my son, Francis Berry, one dollar and no more.

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I give and bequeath unto my son, Benjamin, one dollar and no more.

Ttem:

I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Rebeckah Earls, who was Rebeckah Wood, who was Rebeckah Berry, one dollar and no more.

I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Susanna Convay, late Susanna Berry, one dollar and no more.

Item:

I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Mary Comway, late Mary Berry, one dollar and no more.

My reason for giving the said Francis, Benjamin, Rebeckah, Susanna, and Mary no more of my estate is that they have received full parts before this period.

Item: I give and bequeath to my loving wife, Huldah Berry, all my estate, both real and personal, during her life or widowhood, for her, the said Huldah Berry, to dispose of amongst her children as she thinks best, but should she marry, it is my will that she should have one-eighth part of my estate to her and her heirs forever and no more; but should she continue single after my decease, it is my desire for her to have the benefit of my estate both real and personal at her disposal and whatever of the estate may be in her hands at her death to be equally divided amongst my seven children, viz: Peggy, Joseph Berry, Huldah Berry, Sarah Berry, Thomas Berry, William Berry, and Katherine Berry, to them and their heirs forever.

Item: And lastly it is my will and desire that my loving wife, Huldah Berry, be my executrix of this my last Will and Testament, requesting that no security be required of her upon her qualification as such. In witness whereof I have subscribed my name and affixed my seal this eighth day of May in the year of cur Lord eighteen hundred and six.

Jos. Berry

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of Samuel Bryerly
James Lindsay
Lester Potter
James Hathaway
Abraham Hess



A letter from H. T. Berry, February 4, 1907, Weedonville, Va., to Mrs. McNaught

Dear Madam:

I know nothing of my ancestors except through tradition which is handed down to me that my ancestors settled more than 200 years ago at "Berry Plain", a farm in King George Co., Va., on the north bank of the Rappahannock River about 20 miles below Frederickburg and 10 miles from where I now live.

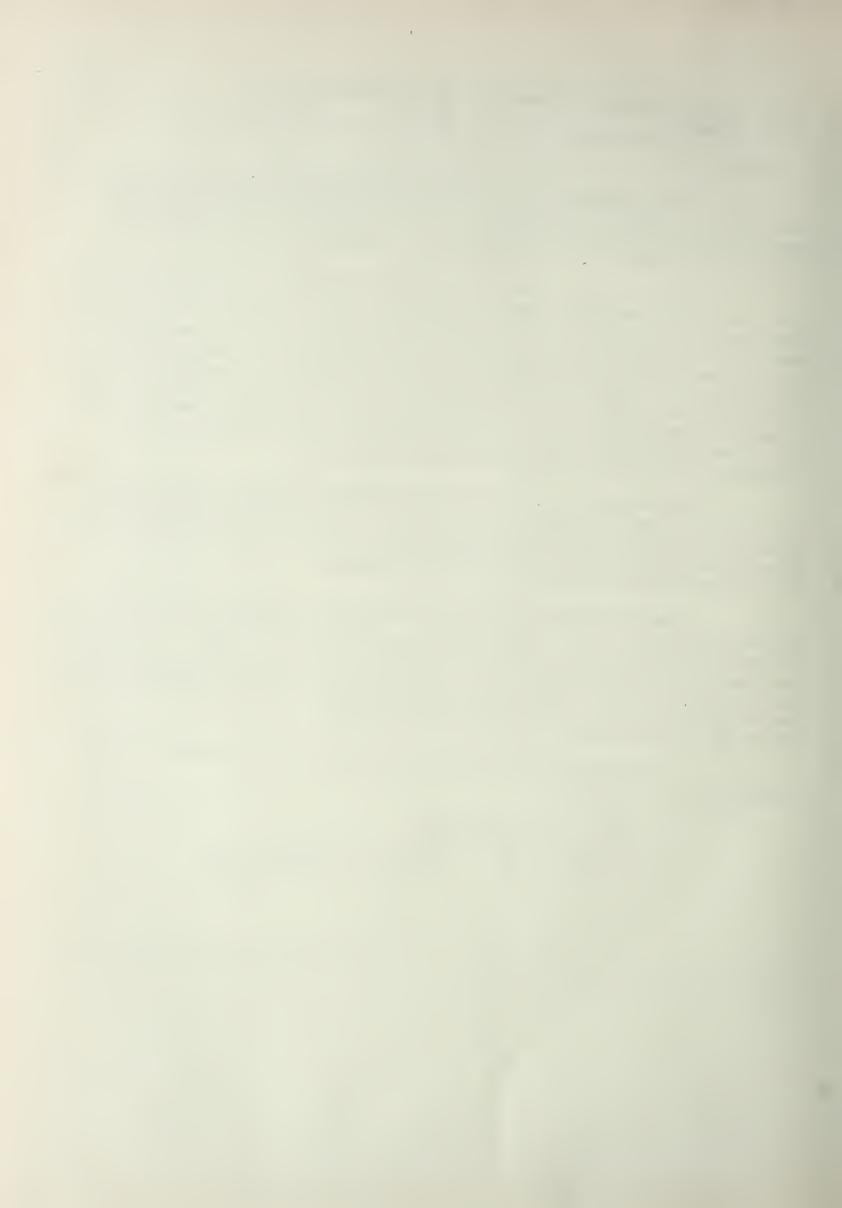
There is an old family graveyard on the place, and some of the tombstones remain, one of which gives the date of the first settler. It is about three feet high, $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet wide, broken in three pieces. On the top and smallest piece was the impression of a few letters, but so worn as to make nothing of them. On the middle or second piece were quite a number of these letters in same condition as those on first, though they seemed to be in memory of the wife of John or Joseph Berry. The last piece was set in the earth. Where it was broken there had been a line of letters as could be seen by the traces on each side of the break. Above them the word "departed". By digging around the cornerstone, we found plainly inscribed the figures 1749.

Our family had been over here (from what I heard) a long time before that date, for they were among the first settlers and stopped at Berry Plain being the first white people who lived there. One of the number having been killed in an Indian massacre which must have been before Bacon's Rebellion, and that was about 100 years previous to the Revolution.

The Hodge Tamily has for a long time been connected with mine. My Great-grandmother was a Virginia Hodge. She had a brother Robert Hodge, for I have many times heard my Aunt Mildred speak of Uncle Bob Hodge. years ago, over 80 years old; was born and raised at Berry Plain. I wish you could have met this old lady, as it would have given her great pleasure to see one of her Western kin. She used to tell me when a boy a great deal about the Berrys of the past, much of which I have forgotten.

It will give me pleasure to aid you as far as I am able in any researches on this subject.

Respectfully 4. J. Berry



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COAT-OF-ARMS

Arms: Arg. three bars gemelles gu. surmounted by

a lion rampant sable.

Crest: A lion passant guardant gu.

Supporters: Dexter, a lion guardant sable sinister,

a bay horse.

Motto: Fare, fac. (Speak, do.)





We copy from an article in the Baltimore Sun of January 15, 1905, written by Miss Emily Emerson Lantz:

"The Fairfaxes have good reason to be proud of their name and ancestry for it is an honorable family.

"The house of Fairfax is of Saxon blood, and the name of Saxon origin, signifying fair haired".

In some of the old ancestral deeds, the name is spelled Fairvex, while the motto: Farefac, "appears to be a pun upon the name, and admirably adapted to the spirit of the race, since its meaning is Speak-do, and the Fairfaxes have ever been ready to enforce their speech by action".

The Fairfax family was established at or before the Norman Conquest in Northumberland, after which they removed into Lincolnshire and later into Yorkshire, where they settled about the end of the twelfth century.

The first of the race whose name is recorded is Richard Fairfax, who in 1205 possessed the Manor of Askham, near York.

Coming down the line from Richard of Askham, we find Richard and wife Eustachia Calthorpe in York. Their son, (10th from Richard of Askham) was Sir Guy of Steeton, where he built a house which was the principal family seat until the Reformation placed in their hands Nun-Appleton, a handsome estate.

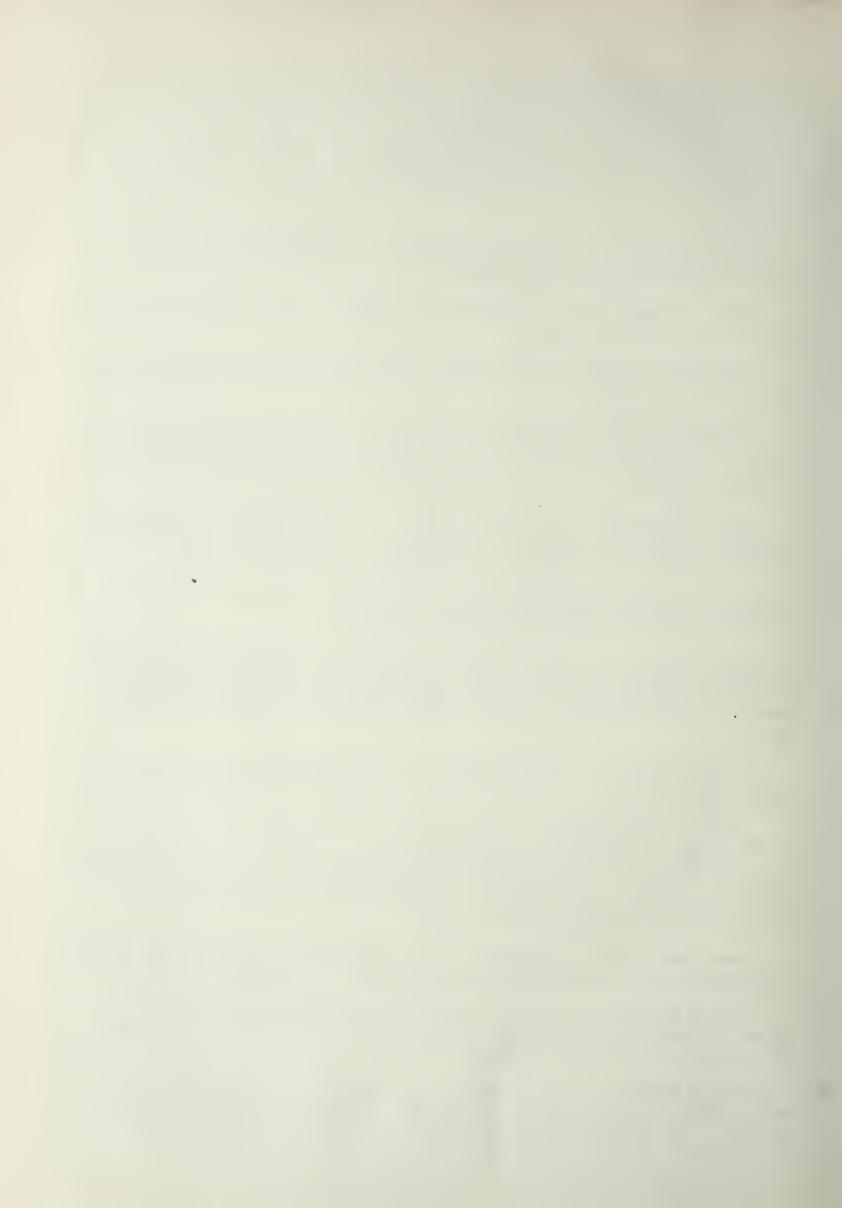
He was Judge of the Kings Bench. He was so attached to the House of York. He bore a white rose on the shoulder of the lion in his coat-of-arms. His son and successor:

- (11) Sir Wm., Seargent at Law, and one of the Justices of Common Peace in the reign of Henry VIII. His only son:
- (12) Sir Wm., was High Sheriff of Yorkshire in the reign of Henry VIII. He married in 1518 Isabel, daughter of Thomas Thwaits of Denton Castle, Askvith, Yorkshire:--carried her off from the Convent of Nun-Appleton. By this marriage acquired Denton Castle.

From that marriage of Steeton and Nun-Appleton descended all the statesmen, scholars, and warriors who have added fame to the house of Fairfax.

One of their sons was Edward, who is famous for his translation of Tasso. Esteemed in his own day, Fairfax's translation is still regarded the finest in the English language.

At his death (12) Sir William was succeeded by his eldest surviving son:— (13) Sir Thomas, of Denton, b. 1521, who was High Sheriff for York in 1571. He changed the field of his coat-of-arms from argent to or to distinguish it from the Steeton branch.



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Records do not seem clear as to whether or not this Sir Thomas (13) succeeded to his father's title -- one record says Sir William (12) disinherited Thomas and "left Steeton and all else he could" to Gabriel, a younger son -- "from whom descend the Steeton Fairfaxes, who today hold the ancient seat", but Thomas (14) received Denton from his mother and is said to be the first one raised to the peerage.

Another writer says this Sir Thomas was "grandson of Sir William and Lady Isobel". He was a soldier, scholar, and diplomat. Was sent by Queen Elizabeth as Ambassador to King James of Scotland. Was offered a title by King James, which he refused, but eventually accepted from Charles I in 1625, the title of Lord Fairfax and Baron of Cameron in the Scottish peerage. His sons were active both as soldiers and politicians.

He was succeeded in the title and the estates by his grandson Thomas (son of Ferdinand?), known as the Great Lord Fairfax III, who is not only the most prominent figure in the family annals but is also celebrated in English history as the great General and Commander in Chief of the Commons in their uprising against the Crown.

Although Lord Fairfax sided with the people in the defense of their rights, so long abused by a corrupt court, he was still loyal to the King, and used his great influence to prevent the execution of Charles I. His influence however was not sufficient to overcomethe iron will of Cronwell who had determined upon the death of his royal adversary.

When the dictator assumed the reins of government, Fairfax, being too moderate in his views to sympathize with the actions of Cromwell, retired to Nun-Appleton, where he devoted himself to study.

At Cromwell's death, Lord Fairfax emerged from his retreat and took an active part in the restoration of Charles II. His wife was Ann Vere, and many stories are recorded of her. Carlyle called her a "Vere of fighting Veres".

At the death in 1671 of the great General, the title went to his Cousin Henry (15) of Bolton: - Percy, Lord Fairfax IV, the direct ancestor of the Virginia Fairfaxes, and son of Henry, (b. at Denton, Jan. 1588, died April 1665. Married Mary, daughter of Sir Henry Cholmley.)

Lord Fairfax IV married Frances, daughter of Sir Robert Barwick, of Toulston, Yorkshire. They had two sons: Henry, who married Anne Harrison and had William who came to America (Milliam of Belvoir); and Thomas who was V Lord Fairfax, and father of VI Lord Fairfax of Virginia.

Thomas (17) Fifth Baron Fairfax, b. 1657 at Bolton Percy. Col. of Third Horse Guards, 1688; Col. of the Kings Own 1693; Brig. Gen. 1701; Member of Parliament for York 1688-1707, which he was obliged to relinquish at the Union-upon ceasing to be a commoner in England.

He married Catherine, daughter of Thomas, Lord Culpepper. She inherited Leeds Castle in Kent, the proprietary right over the Northern Neck in Virginia and an estate of 300,000 acres in the Shenandoah Valley. The V Lord Fairfax died Jan. 6, 1710, and was succeeded by his son Thomas (18) -- Sixth Lord Fairfax who never married, retiring to his estates in Virginia where he died in 1781. The title passed to his brother Robert, VII Lord Fairfax, of Castle Leeds in England, where he died childless in 1792.



The title came back to America to Brian, son of Wm. of Belvoir, then to his son, Albert, IX Lord Fairfax, who was grandfather of 10th Lord Fairfax, whose brother, Dr. John Contee Fairfax, of Prince George County, Maryland, was XI Lord Fairfax, who died in 1900. His son (23) Albert Kirby Fairfax, b. 1870, is XII Lord Fairfax, who assumed his title at the time of the coronation of King Edward VII.

"The title of the Fairfax family has passed frequently from brother to brother, and from Kinsman to Kinsman, but it has passed always in peace and the family has appeared singularly united in spirit and feeling."

NOTES ON THE BERRY -- FAIRFAX MARRIAGE

The tradition among descendants of Benjamin Berry of Kentucky is that his mother, the first wife of Joseph Berry, was a Fairfax and sister of the 6th Lord Fairfax.

Examination of Fairfax records show that she could not have been sister or niece of the 6th Lord Fairfax.

Mr. Stanard wrote in 1906 that "No available Fairfax records give a marriage of a Fairfax and a Berry."

Miss Carrie Berry (granddaughter of Benjamin, son of Joseph) wrote in 1882 that an old man named Ashby, who had "lived neighbor to Joseph Berry in Virginia", told her father and told her, when a child, that Joseph Berry's first wife was a Fairfax.

Miss Berry also wrote (in 1896):

"Joseph Berry disinherited my grandfather for marrying against his wishes. My father was very fond of his mother and did not like the idea of his father being disinherited for marrying her and never wanted to know anything about his father's family." (Note: Joseph Berry's Will does not indicate disinheritance.)

The record in Richmond of a land grant "to Rebeckah Berry for herself and two sons by former marriage" would indicate that there must have been a reason for Lord Fairfax giving her a special grant, and it is reasonable to suppose it was because she was a Fairfax, and also reasonable to suppose that she was wife of Joseph Berry, as his first daughter was named Rebeckah, and their son Benjamin gave the name to his first daughter.



It is possible that examination of land grant to Rebeckah Berry (1745-50) would give name of her sons, or tracing the land from her by Will or Deed would have sons' names, thereby establishing name of first husband. (The name Stribling has been suggested.)

It might be possible then to find record of marraige of Joseph Berry and Mrs. Rebeckh _____; though no doubt difficult as so many Virginia County records are missing, destroyed during Revolutionary and Civil Wars; and records at Richmond are very incomplete for the same reason.

Fairfax records should be searched for a Rebeckah of that period, and it is possible she came to this country a widow; also possible that the marriage was in England.

One can approximate the date of marriage of Joseph Berry and Rebeckah Fairfax (_____) only by counting back from the known date of her son Benjamin's marriage in 1782. He was the youngest of five children, and his birth probably 1758-60, which would make the date of Joseph's marriage about 1748.

Rebeckah was a widow with two sons, so her first marriage was probably near 1740, and her birth could have been near 1720. Search must be made in the various branches of the Fairfax family for a Rebeckah born near that date.

A letter from Mrs. Josephine Fairfax Smith, in 1905, then living in Ruxton, Maryland, sister of Albert Kirby Fairfax, the present Lord Fairfax suggested that Rebeckah may have been the daughter of Ferdinant Fairfax, the married twice and had about 20 children, was brother of the 9th Lord Fairfax, but that (about 1800) was not the period in which Rebeckah lived, as her birth was about 1715-20, and must be looked for in a branch of the family of that period.

To J. E. McN.

The 8th Lord Fairfax married twice, and your ancestor may have been half-sister of the 9th Lord Fairfax (who was my great-grand-father). I have never known who were the children by the second marriage of the 8th Lord Fairfax.

Very sincerely yours,

Josephine Fairfax Smith

Sept. 10th, 1905 Ruxton, Maryland

One should examine the Fairfax genealogy of England, and Neill's "Fairfaxes in England and America".

Miss Carrie Berry wrote in 1896:

"I am of the impression that Joseph Berry married Miss Fairfax in this country. I never heard that Berry ever returned to England.

"I do not know that any one of the three brothers who came from England together, were married when they came to Virginia. I think their names were William, Joseph, and Benjamin."



"There is an old manuscript in the British Museum of date 1660 which shows that every Fairfax extant in England or Great, Britain at this period was from one and the same parent stock".

Very sincerely yours

Lindsay Fairfax

Brothers and Sisters of Thomas VI Lord Fairfax.

Henry; d. unm. 1734

Robert; md. twice. Died 1793. Left no children.

Margaret: md. Dr. David Wilkins. Died 1755. No children.

Katherine; d. 1766 unm.

Mary; d. 1739 unm.

Frances; md. Denny Martin. Their children were:

Edward; d. 1775 unm.

John; d. 1746 unm.

Rev. Denny; d. 1800 unm.

Frances; d. 1813 unm.

Sybilla; d. 1816 unm.

Philip: d. 1821 unm.

Anne Susan; d. 1817 unm.

Above shows that Lord Fairfax VI had neither sister nor niece who married a Berry.

Mr. Stanard wrote in 1905 that the name Berry does not appear in either the genealogy of the English or the Virginia Fairfaxes.

For Fairfax Data read:

The Historical Shetch of the Two Fairfax Families of Virginia, by T. K. Carlwell

. Notable of Old Frederick County.

The Fairfax Families.

Scharfs History of Baltimore.

Heralds and Genealogists -- Vol. 6

Douglas Peerage -- Vol. 1





My dear Mrs. McMaught:

I have regretted exceedingly my inability to send a prompt reply to your earnest letter of the 11th of March. I have looked over my box of papers with reference to your inquiries, with little hope of being able to assist you, for I do not know anything of the name "John Deboe Hodge". My mother's grandfather was John Hodge. The records of Hillsboro, North Carolina, show that John and George Hodge were the first settlers of the Hodges in that county. John purchased a large tract of land from The Colony of North Carolina, and there were born his three sons, Joseph, William, and Robert; the latter the youngest, born in 1761. He had three more sons, John, Samuel, and George, and one daughter; the latter, it is said, died at sea coming over to this country, which proves some of the children were born on the other side. It is strange none of us know exactly where. Our family thought they came from Ireland — one account says, from Wales. We know they were of Scotch-Irish descent.

In the Family Record of Rev. William Hodge, one of the five sons mentioned above is found this: "John D. Hodge was born in 1732". We are puzzled to know whom this "John D." was. He may have been the John Deboe you mention; the date would make him too young to be my mother's grandfather, who was an old man at the time of the Revolutionary War. How strange — the failure in these records to give the place as well as the date of birth.

Captain Robert Hoges, of Chatfield, Mavarro County, Texas, wrote me that the agent he sent to Virginia to examine records became discouraged and returned home because so many records had been burned during the wars; but Captain Robert persevered and found the recorded fill of his great grandfather, Charles Hodge, in Portsmouth. This Charles had seven sons, Robert, Charles, John, Thomas, Anthony, Henry, and George (or William). The two first went to Tennessee; Thomas, John and Henry, to North Carolina; Anthony to North Carolina first, then to South Carolina. He was uncertain about George (or William), thought perhaps he went to Kentucky or Georgia. The father of all of them was from Ingland, and died in Virginia.

Captain Robert thought the son, John, was my mother's grandfather; if that is true (and I am inclined to think he was right), then George was the name of the last one, and he went to North Carolina. I am sorry I am unable to give you the name of even one of his descendants. John and George, who lived on Buck Creek, entered in 1779, must have been sons of John, Senior.

Mrs. Eliza F. Schweppe, whose address is 907 West State Street, Jackson-ville, Illinois, may be able to throw some light on the subject. She is a great-granddaughter of John Hodge, and a niece of my mother. She has examined many records, has had a large correspondence, and her interest in the Family history never abates.

My cousin, Will B. Lynn, her nephew, died years ago. Captain Robert Hodge wrote me, last, in 1884; he was an old man, and perhaps is not living. His son, Robert, may still be in Chatfield, but Captain Robert wrote that he had turned over all the information he had on the subject to Mr. John S. Young, of Shreveport, Louisiana.

You have my warmest wishes for success in the search.
Yours very sincerely,

Gertrude Baldridge



Nearer the county seat than either of the other places is The Forest, divided into the upper and lower neighborhoods. It is not a village nor a town, but a most fertile section, where dwelt Thomas Sprigg and his son Osborn at their home, Northampton.

This estate is now owned by the Fairfaxes, and during his lifetime Dr. John Fairfax was as good an American citizen as his relative, Baron Fairfax, was a Royalist in the early days of Virginia, and, unlike his son, who has sworn allegiance to England's King and taken the title, he refused to do either.

Farther away in Fairview, once the home of Baruch Ducket, and now owned by the heirs of ex-Gov. Oden Bowie. Then there is Concord, the home of the Berrys. For many years this family enjoyed the distinction of possessing more land than any other in Scuthern Maryland. Included in the various tracts were Graydon, Chelsea, and part of Thorpland, an estate originally owned by John Bowie, Sr., now the property of Mr. Snowden Hill who can claim it by right of descent. Bowieville also is a Berry home. As its name indicates, it was once the estate of the Bowies. Mrs. Polly Bowie erected the house at such cost that it eventually went to meet the indebtedness of its owner. She also had built at the foot of the hill, below the residence, a dancing pavilion. For many years this was one of the two clubhouses or assembly rooms in Prince George's county.

So closely interwoven with ante-bellum days was the social life of even earlier times that it is difficult to draw the line between the two. Recreations and pastimes were the same. Characteristics were accentuated by intermarriages in the sixties as in Colonial times, and the only distinct difference that can be said to have actually existed was in the greater luxury and wealth in the lives of the planters just previous to the war.



... From Nancy Elva Boone ...

Page 3 - (b) Miriam Harris married John C. Allen

(1) Lena, born 1868, married Chas. E. Boone, born 1863; d.1893. (1-a) Nancy Elva Boone, born Mar. 15, 1891, at Palouse, Wn.

(2) Thomas Roy Allen, born, 1870, married Lulu Barstow.

(1-a) Marcus, born Buhl, Idaho. (dec.)

(2-a) Catherine, born Buhl, Idaho.
Married Ray Whitely, Pasadena, Calif.

(3-a) Mirian, born Buhl, Idaho.

(4-a) Elaine, born Kma, Idaho.

(3) Catherine Agnes Allen, born 1872.
Married Oliver Clarence Wait in 1896.

(1-a) Gladys Allen, born Jan. 8, 1898. Married H. Eaken, June 1, 1929.

(4) Elsie Allen, born 1875. Md.Ralph Folsom, April 1, 1899.
(1-a) John Allen, born 1902. Md.Kathryn Murphy, June 1927
1-b Patricia Jean, b.July 28, 1928, Pendleton, Ore.
2-b Joan Kathleen, b.April 1, 1933, Pendleton, Ore.
(2-a) Harry Emerson Folsom, b.Aug.16, 1909. Bachelor.

- Page 3 (5) Charles Morton Allen, 1877. Unmarried.
- Page 4 (6) Hugh Preston Allen, b. 1879. Md.Edith Lang, Dec.24, 1902. (1-a) Bernice Lang, b. Salem, Ore. Feb. 1905; died 1929. (2-a) Genevieve, b. 1913. Md. Ray Blackett. 1-b Raymond, b.Mar. 15, 1933, Seattle, Washington.
- Page 4 (7) Una Bell Allen, b. 1886. Md. Fred C. Hyde in 1908.

 (1-a) Earl Eugene Hyde, born Salen, Ore., Oct. 27, 1909.

 Md. Edith Pence in 1934.

 (2-a) Frederick Allen Hyde, b. Dec. 4, 1913, Salem, Ore.

 Md. Loree Burch in 1936.
- Page 4 (8) J. Chester Allen, b. 1888. Married Mabel Knouse.
 (1-a) J. Clayton Allen, b.Buhl, Idaho, May 29, 1917.
 (2-a) Hugh Harvey Allen, b.Nov. 29, 1919, Placerville, Cal.
 (3-a) Lloyd Milton, b. Dec. 30, 1924.
- Page 4 (e) Marietta Harris, born March 31, 1855, Salem, Oregon.

 Married J. D. Chitwood. Issue:-
 (1) Maud Bell Chitwood, married William Holt (dec.)

 (1-a) Selma Holt married LeRoy Brear. Issue:

 1-b Robert Brear

 2-b Judean
- Page 4 (h) Emerson Lincoln Harris, born Feb. 2, 1861; died Oct. 27, 1928, Salem, Ore. Married Oct. 31, 1911, Argyl Jones, born Jan. 16, 1875; died 1934. (Daughter of Gesse Berryman and Julia Bell Jones).

(1) Emerson Lyndon Harris, born Apr. 27, 1906, Salem, Oregon.

Married Rhea Carene McCoy, born Feb. 25, 1907 (daughter

of Walter (dec.) and Ethel (Luthy) McCoy).

(1-a) Marilyn Jean, born Feb. 22, 1928, Salem, Ore. (2-a) Dorothy Joyce, born Jan. 20, 1930, Salem, Ore.

(2) Argyl Greta Harris, born Jan. 12, 1914. Md. Harry Gilbert Hankel, born March 31, 1913 (son of George Augustus Hankel (Dallas, Ore.) and Lucy Haden Hankel (dec)



Page 4 (i) *Olive Harris, md (1st) Edward Settlemier; d. Aug. 1894.

(1) Dolph Settlemier (dec.)

(2) Claude Settlemier, md. Betha Grills. Three children: (1-a) George Settlemier, md. Elaine McCarroll

(1-b) George

(1-0) George (2-b) Marilyn Clare

(2-a) Claudia Settlemier, md. Charles Kelly

(3-a) Thomas Settlemier. Bachelor

(3) Melvin (dec.)

*Olive Harris. md. (2nd) Frederic Goodenough

(4) Frederick Alfred Godenough (took name of Kelly, stepfather)

*Olive Harris, md. (3rd) William Kelly.

- Page 4 (j) #Andrew James Harris (1866-1910) md. 1892 to Margaret Ray.
 - (1) Jessie Harris, born 1894.

 Married Chester Greer, born November 15, 1894.

 (1-a) Chester Greer, born March 1, 1920.

*Andrew James Harris md. (2nd) Anna Tarbett. Issue:---

- (1) Nancy
- (2) Maud
- (3) Argyl (dec.)
- (4) Harold
- Page 12- (a) Mary Louise Hodge
 - (1) Ralph Charles DeMange. Enlisted Oct. 1918, World War.
 Assigned to Field Artillery, Central Officers Training
 School, Camp Zachary Taylor, Kentucky. Discharged
 Jan. 31, 1919, Captain of Field Artillery, Officers
 Reserve Corps of the United States Army.



LINDSEY - BERRY

By Mrs. B. W. Crawford

The tradition in the branch of this Lindsey family of "Long Marsh" is that in 1740, two brothers Thomas and John Lindsey removed from Northumberland and bought and settled on an immense tract of land — still known as "Long Marsh". They were called the wealthy farmers of the Shenandoah Valley.

BERRY ANCESTRY OF JAMES MADISON LINDSEY, M.D.

Joseph Berry married second time Hulda Hewlett. Issue, seven children: .

- 1. Joseph Berry, Physician and Surgeon, United States Navy.
- 2. William Berry, Sheriff of Clark Co. Married Hannah Lacy.

3. Thomas Berry.

4. Huldah Berry (now living in Carthage, Mo.)

5. Kitty Berry.

6. Margaret Berry.

7. Sarah Berry, married in 1806 to Dr. James Lindsey (1773-1818) of Long Marsh, Clark County.

Dr. James Lindsey, born at Long Marsh, Sept. 18, 1773; died 1818.

Married in 1806 to Sarah, the seventh child of <u>Joseph Berry</u> and his second wife <u>Huldah Hewlett</u>. There were seven children:

A. Hulda C. (1807-1867).

- B. James Madison Lindsey, M.D. Born at Berrys Ferry, Oct. 14, 1809, (eldest son). Was a splendid type of that highest form of manhood of which martyrs and heroes are made, handsome, cultivated, and fitted to take a leading part in life. He chose rather to lead the noble and unselfish life of a country Doctor, whose practice was chiefly among the poor, from whom he took no compensation. He was a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania. He made his home at Berrys Ferry for thirty-one years. Married Martha, daughter of Col. James Towers of the Opequon, near Winchester. Issue:
 - 1. James William Lindsey, 1842, was a student at the University of Charlottsville. When the Civil War began he entered the Confederate Army, and was killed at the Battle of Upperville, June 23, 1863.
 - 2. George Winston Lindsey, married 1885 to Ida J. Yerby, daughter of Albert F. Yerby. Issue:

2-a. Mary Stuart

2-b. Olivia Clagelt

2-c. Rose McDonald

2-d. Margaret Isabell

2-e. Rose Alberta

- C. Catherine Lindsey, born, 1810, married Dr. Benjamin Lacy of Virginia.
 Issue:
 - 1. William Lacy, a gallant Confederate soldier, died in a Northern prison in 1864.

Joseph Berry Lacy, inherited his father's estate, married Miss Humphries. Issue: five children.

D. Dr. Joseph Berry Lindsey, 1813. (son of Dr. James Lindsey) Married Letitia A. Pollard, of Marysville, Ky.



- E. Sarah M. Lindsey, born 1814. Married Henry M. Brown, an artist.
- F. Hannah E. Lindsey, born 1816, married her first cousin, Dr. Stephen J. Lindsey (son of Thomas Lindsey, of Kentucky). Issue: four children. William B. Lindsey, M.D.; married Virginia Sander. Issue:
 - 1-a. Harry Lindsey
 - 1-b. Effie Lindsey
 - 1-c. Mary Lindsey
 - 1-d. Wilber Lindsey
 - Dr. Thomas Lindsey (son of Dr. Stephen and Hannah E. Lindsey) F-2. married Annie Oates, of Wilmington, N.C. Now living in Carthage, Mc.
 - Joseph Berry Lindsey, of Clark County; married Miss McCormick, of F-3. Issue: Seven children. Clark Co., Va.
 - 3-a. Margaret Berry Lindsey, married A. L. Glascock, of Tanguier Co., who was a Postmaster at Paris, also Millwood, Ve. Issue: 12 children.
 - 3-a-1. Leslie Glascock

 - 3-a-2. Daisie C. Glascock 3-a-3. Mary M. Glascock
 - 3-a-4. Clyde J. Glascock
 - 3-a-5. Clarence W. Glascock
 - 3-a-6. Fannie T. Glascock
 - 3-a-7. Billy M. Glascock
 - 3-a-8. Chauncy Glascock
 - 3-a-9. Margaret S. Glascock
 - 3-a-10. Pearl B. Glascock
 - 3-a-11. Bradford R. Glascock
 - 3-a-12. Thomas L. Glascock
 - Edward A. Lindsey, married Blanche Beemer. Issue:
 - 3-b-1. Winston G.
 - 3-b-2. James L.
 - 3-b-3. Edward T.
 - C. Nannie Lindsey married T. S. Lee. Issue: 3-c.
 - 3-c-l. Mary
 - 3-c-2. Eidite
 - Ada) Twins 3-c-3. Ida)
 - John T. Lindsey married Ada Goode (dec. 1913) 3-d.
 - 3-d-1. Marguerite Berry
 - 3-d-2. Eleanor G.
 - 3-e. Frank S., single
 - 3-f. J. William, married Miss Sleck. Issue:
 - 3-f-1. Carlton
 - 3-f-2. Gladys
 - 3-g. Elizabeth Lindsey, married R. Taremer. Issue:
 - 3-g-1. Lindsey Taremer
 - 3-g-2. Lucy Taremer
 - 3-g-3. Edward Taremer
 - F-4. John Lindsey, son of Hannah E. Lindsey and Dr. Stephen J. Lindsey, married Miss Adda V. Yerby.













